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Ring Further Tightened Around Huge German Army in Caucasus—Eighty-Nine Axis Divisions Are Badly Mauled, Partly Destroyed, In Two Months

Advance at Leningrad

LONDON, Jan. 20 (CP). — Russia's rampant armies have gained seventeen more miles in the sweep toward Kharkov, big Ukraine steel city, and further compressed huge Nazi armies in the Northwestern Caucasus in the drive on the German anchor base of Rostov, a special Soviet communique said tonight.

British military observers said the Russians in two months have badly mauled and partly destroyed eighty-nine Axis divisions, sixty of them German. At full strength this would represent the demoralization of 1,335,000 enemy troops.

The special communique, broadcast by the Soviet Monitor, added this page to the historic Russian Winter offensive:

While the northern arm of the Red Army driving toward Kharkov was fighting within seventy-nine miles of that big city, the southern arm captured Byelokurakin, 115 miles southeast of Kharkov. This represented a seventeen-mile advance from Novo-Pskov and a sixty-mile westward sweep from the Moscow-Rostov line.

The northern arm is fighting beyond the Urazovo area on the Voronesh-Kupyansk-Kharkov railway, twenty miles northeast, of this Russian spearhead the Red Army finally smashed a two-day Axis stand in strategic Ostrogozhsk.

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Navy Sees Army Supplied With Water

The Eighth Army's Victory in the Western Desert Was More Than a Triumph of Arms. It Was Also a Triumph of Supply and Organization in Which the Navy Played Its Part. Delivering Water, as Pictured Above, Was Part of the Navy's Job. Here, Indian Troops Are Seen Loading the Water Casks Onto Lorries.

Fifteen Dead As B.C. Coast Steamer Sinks

Frank Waterhouse Vessel, Northolm, Goes Down on Trip From Port Alice

Reports to Provincial Police headquarters in Victoria state that the Frank Waterhouse steamer Northolm, which plies along the west coast of Vancouver Island, foundered early this morning off Hecate Island, off the entrance to Port Alberni, with a loss of fifteen persons.

The vessel, developed a list off Cape Palmerston and on rounding Cape Beale it seem the list increased. Fresh winds started a little up and the ship began taking water over the starboard rail and became unmanageable, as water poured into the hold.

The crew prepared to abandon ship but were unable to get the port boat swung out. The starboard boat was launched by eight of the crew and got away just before Northolm sank by the stern two miles offshore. Two of these men were

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Sixty or More Children Dead After German Raid

London School Bombed—Thirteen of Thirty Attackers Shot From Skies

FLYERS SKIM ROOFS

LONDON, Jan. 20 (AP).—German roofing raiders killed at least sixty school children and buried thirty at sixty-three more and three teachers beyond hope of life under tons of debris in a swift but relatively small-scale attack on London at mountime today. It was the worst blow suffered by London schools since the blitz attacks began.

Only six raiders eluded London's defences and the school, in the heart of a residential section, was assailed into rubble.

There wasn't a chance that the children and teachers buried in the ruins were alive, for they had been chattering gaily at luncheon on the first floor. But 200 rescue workers began digging for them.

Only eleven children and one teacher in the building emerged alive. Thirty bodies of children from six to fourteen years of age had been recovered early tonight.

The known victims besides the children in the one building were ten children and six women killed by a bomb which smashed three London houses, and six children and three women, killed when a bomb passed through the top of a cafe and

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Nazis Paint Glorified Picture of Child-Murderers' Raid

LONDON, Jan. 20 (CP).—The account, as given by D.N.B., German news agency, of today's noontime raid on London, in which heaviest casualties were inflicted on school children, would have surprised many Londoners who scanned the D.N.B. statement.

D.N.B. asserted that the centre of London was "blitzed" by "waves of fighter bombers accompanied by 100 fighters."

This formidable fleet, according to the D.N.B. version served up to the German people, "appeared over the great Thames Bend, swooped down on districts east and northwest of Greenwich Park," dropped bombs "of rooftop height" on "Trafalgar Road, and shot down seven barrage balloons."

What the German people were not told was that only twenty-five fighter bombers crossed the coast and only six reached London.

Wedding Is Delayed by Snowdrift

TEESWATER, Ont., Jan. 20 (CP). — Five shivering passengers aboard a stalled Canadian Pacific Railway train were carried to safety today over huge snowdrifts after an always bound soldier-from Ottawa covered two miles on snowshoes to spread the alarm.

A relief rapid-action toboggan and snowshoe party found the passengers—four women and a man—cold and hungry after an enforced seven-hour wait in the blizzard-bound train.

Among the passengers huddled around the stove were Pte Reginald Moore, stationed at Ottawa with the Canadian Postal Corps and Allan Hepburn of Toronto. The pair were to have been married in Teeswater today.

When the train failed to arrive at the Teeswater station last night a friend of Pte. Moore donned snowshoes, fastened another pair on his back and set out along the track. After reaching the train, he returned to the village with Pte. Moore to organize a rescue party.

The women passengers were hauled back to the village on toboggans while the men used snowshoes.

The adventure took place in candle-lit village church tonight.

Sub-Zero Cold And Storms in West Crippling

Victoria Escapes Difficulties As Seattle and Vancouver Traffic Snarled

Victoria remained almost unscathed yesterday and Tuesday, while serious traffic tie-ups were plaguing Vancouver, Seattle, and other Coast cities. Here, street cars continued to operate without difficulty, and motorists had little trouble.

G. M. Tripp, superintendent of the British Columbia Electric Railway Co., said the service was being watched closely and was in good shape.

"We do not anticipate trouble," Mr. Tripp said.

West Saanich, Keating and Mount Newton Schools in Saanich were closed on Tuesday, and attendance has been light in other rural schools, but all were open yesterday. There were no problems in Oak Bay and Esquimalt, and in the city all classes were in session. H. L. Campbell, municipal inspector, said it is became impossible to maintain school buildings at the proper temperature they would be closed for a day until school could be delivered.

A pedestrian casualty yesterday was Mrs. L. E. Bond, 1185 Palmer Street, who sustained minor injuries to her back at 11:10 a.m., when she slipped and fell on the corner of Yates and Douglas Streets. She was taken to her home by Constable Brooke Douglass.

TRAVEL UPSET

The Vancouver street car system thrown badly off schedule by a major traffic tie-up on Tuesday, was slowly returning to normal yesterday, but no effort was being made to keep regular schedules. The British supplies arrive.

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British-French Force Closes in Upon Tripoli; Many Axis Ships Sunk

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LONDON, Jan. 20 (AP).—The Fighting French moving eastward from equatorial Africa have joined forces with the British Eighth Army's spearhead at Tripoli, it was announced tonight, while the British Admiralty reported sinking of fourteen Axis vessels in the Mediterranean in the first three days of this week.

These French troops swept up from the Lake Chad area over deserts and mountains, conquering the Italian Fezzan, and now "are continuing their advance northward and have established contact with the British Eighth Army," a communique from Brig.-Gen. Jacques le Clerc, headquarters announced.

"These forces are brilliantly taking part with their British Allies in the advance on Tripoli. They are attacking on the left of the Eighth Army moving northward," said the war bulletin broadcast by the Fighting French radio at Brazzaville.

The junture was announced shortly after the Admiralty had reported sinking fourteen Axis ships in the Central Mediterranean in the first three days of the week, and as twin British columns pounding toward Tripoli were reported within forty and twenty miles of the bomb-battered capital of Mussolini's vanishing Libyan empire.

The new threat from this French thrust increased the possibility that Field Marshal Erwin Rommel would fight only a delaying action before Tripoli, instead of making a final stand there.

The French column had moved up under Colonel Inculd, the field commander, to Gatrun. The first advance was announced by the authoritative French radio station at Brazzaville, and confirmed by "Radio Brazzaville" used as a cloak by an Axis broadcasting station.

SHIPS SUNK

A communique by the Admiralty tonight disclosed that a party of destroyers, six British and one Czech, sank three vessels on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday nights without damage or loss.

A 3,000-ton supply ship, apparently carrying ammunition, which blew up south of Sardinia.

Two ships of varying sizes off Corsica.

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Minister Hurt in Car Crash

Hon. J. L. Ralston and Deputy Suffer Painful Injuries And Shock

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 (CP).—Defence headquarters in a statement tonight said Defence Minister Ralston and Lieut.-Colonel George S. Currie, deputy defence minister, "suffered painful injuries" in today's automobile accident in which they were involved.

The statement added that attending physicians said there was "no likelihood of serious complications."

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"Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence, and Lieut.-Colonel George S. Currie, deputy minister of national defence, injured today when the car in which they were riding to Uplands Airport struck a snowplough, were reported by attending physicians this evening to have suffered painful injuries with no likelihood of serious complications. Both were suffered also from shock.

"They were attended by Dr. F. W.

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Veteran Pilot Pays With Life

JUNEAU, Alaska, Jan. 16 (AP).—A veteran Alaskan pilot's precautionary action to safeguard his passenger's lives cost him his life. Two bodies as he lost his own life in a test flight to test a baky motor.

The airman, one of the Territory's best known, was Don Olson. He crashed into Gastine Channel.

Olson had taken his passengers aboard for a flight to Anchorage. Witnesses reported, and had taxied down the runway. One motor failed to respond properly so he returned and discharged his passengers and the greater part of their baggage.

Taking off alone, he barely cleared the Douglas Bridge, with black smoke trailing from one of the engines of his Stinson tri-motored land plane. The plane struck the water and bounced twice before sinking about three miles away from the take-off spot.

Olson was the second famed Alaska pilot lost this month. Harold Gillam, a big-time flying comrade in the North, disappeared with three passengers on a flight Juneau-bound from Seattle, January 8. Search for his plane since that time has been futile.

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From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, Jan. 20 — The detention of two Russian armies at Leningrad has opened a corridor into the city about ten miles wide. If the Russian sun wipe out the rest of the German salient then the important strategic railway between Leningrad and Moscow, says the military correspondent of The Times, can be brought into use, as well as that from Leningrad to Murmansk, where British supplies arrive.

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Chilean Navy Ready to Act

Will Not Hesitate to Engage U-Boats Now Relations Broken

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 (CP).—Dr. Eduardo Grove, Chilean Minister to Canada, today expressed his "profound satisfaction" that Chile had joined his country had decided to break off diplomatic and consular relations with the Axis powers, and said Chile's action "practically means a state of war."

Before calling newspapermen to a press conference, the minister, formally notified Norman Robertson, under-secretary of state for External Affairs, of his country's decision to range itself on the side of the United Nations.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King, advised of Chile's decision, said in a message to the minister that the Canadian Government knows it "will strengthen the bonds of friendship and understanding which unite the northernmost and southernmost democracies of the Americas."

"The decision of the President of Chile, with the approval of the Senate, was made in conformity with the existing conventions of inter-American solidarity and collaboration," Dr. Grove told newspapermen who gathered at the legation.

Dr. Grove said he expects his country will begin to convoy ships carrying supplies to ports on the Gulf of Mexico. If they come across an enemy U-Boat, he said he does not think Chilean ships will hesitate to engage them, even if war has been actually declared.

"We do not expect any consideration from the Axis and we won't give them any either."

The Chilean navy, Dr. Grove said, is "quite an effective navy" with a 31,000-ton battleship, two cruisers, twelve destroyers and seven submarines.

Axis Powers Agree Upon A New Pact

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP).—A Berlin radio broadcast recorded by The Associated Press tonight said Germany, Japan and Italy agreed on a economic co-operation pact today to unite "every in his own economic sphere," their resources for "total" titanic warfare against communism and against the "Anglo-Saxon" powers.

The agreement, to run concurrently with the ten-year military alliance pact of Berlin, signed in 1940, was signed at Hitler's headquarters by Nazi Foreign Minister Ribbentrop and Japanese Ambassador Hiroshi Oshima, the broadcast said.

An identical pact was signed in Rome by Italian Foreign Minister Count Galeazzo Ciano and Japanese Ambassador Tsuneo Kase.

The pact pledges financial and technical co-operation, the "permanent observation by special delegates" of economic relations between the Axis countries, and mutual assistance "in the supply of goods and establishment of installations," the broadcast said.

Since the Axis countries have no common frontier and effectively exchanging goods because of the Allied blockade, the pact's actual application must rest on the supposition of an Axis victory.

Sixty Allies Believe Japan's Premier Feigns Illness

Postponement of Parliament Opening Considered To Be Political Dodge—Tojo Seeks More Power

(By The Canadian Press)

The Tokio radio reported Wednesday that the Diet session called recessing of the Japanese Diet (Parliament), Premier General Hideki Tojo is ill, and for that reason the resumption of the Parliamentary session has been postponed until January 27.

The information came as rife in speculation in Allied countries as to the possibility that it had serious political friction behind the scenes in Japan, where it is known that Tojo is working to gather more power in his own hands.

A Domei broadcast, recorded by The Associated Press, said Tojo has a cold, but is expected to recover before the 27th. A Tokio dispatch broadcast by the Rome radio said he has the grippe.

The session was scheduled to reopen today (Thursday) after the New Year recess, which began December 26. Tojo recently spoke to the Diet, devoted to ministerial statements of policy and is considered the most important day of the session. For the reason such a postponement is almost unprecedented, on past occasions deputies have spoken for allmg

REAL REASON

The United States Office of War Information, which distributed one version of the Tokio announcement recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, commented

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Some 3,000 To Resume Mining

About 9,000 of Striking Coal Miners Still Idle After Ultimatum

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Jan. 20 (AP). — Slumping shouting miners launched a new back-to-work movement in Pennsylvania's anthracite hard coal fields tonight.

Men of "back to work boys," rang through union halls as nearly 3,000 workers voted to comply with President Roosevelt's order that they end their three-week-old unauthorized walkout by noon tomorrow.

Throwing Parliamentary order to the winds, the 1,200 employees of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company's Prospect-Henry colliery didn't bother to take a formal vote. In a five-minute session they yelled unanimous approval when one worker called out:

"What do we want a meeting for? Let's go back to work!"

They were the first to make such a decision since Mr. Roosevelt issued his ultimatum yesterday and warned that he would "take the necessary steps" unless the miners obeyed.

More formal but just as derisive was the Lehigh Valley local of Olen Alden Coal Company, with 1,000 members. After voting 200 to 10 to resume production immediately, the miners were told by Dave Cumpsin, president of the local for twenty years:

"You boys should be like prize fighters. When one does he receives the decision. We all go back to work immediately."

Earlier, however, one small local, the Exeter at the Payne Coal Company, with 300 members, decided to remain out. Altogether about 8,000 still are idle.

No mention was made at the meetings of the Lewis and Pearson Henry locals of their demands—that a 50 cents a month increase to union dues be rescinded—and that they be granted a flat wage increase of $2 a day.

Stage More Night Raids

LONDON, Jan. 21 (Thursday) (CP). — Two German airplanes were reported machine-gunned over England last night during scattered night raids which caused four plasma to be wounded in London.

An antiaircraft statement said the raiders operated over coastal districts of South and Southeast England and East Anglia and a few of them flew in as far as the London area, it added.

"Bombs were dropped at a few places," it said. "Only slight damage was done and there were no reports of any casualties.

Incendiary bombs were dropped in the southeast section of the Greater London area during one alert but the Germans never penetrated beyond the outskirts—and then but once.

Advance Rapid In New Guinea

Allied Jungle Troops Further Compress Enemy Pockets Around Sanananda

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, Jan. 21 (Thursday) (AP) —Allied jungle fighters, moving so fast that they have time to count the enemy dead, further compressed enemy pockets around Sanananda Point in New Guinea, while Allied bombers attacked ten points embracing practically the whole South Pacific area yesterday and the day before.

"The whole thing is crumbling," said a spokesman at General Douglas MacArthur's headquarters concerning the Papuan ground resistance of the Japs.

An enemy pocket northwest of the point where the Sanananda Road reaches the beach still is resisting and there is heavy fighting on the other side of the point between Buna and Tarakena, where the Japanese attempted to break out.

Two other enemy groups still are showing some fight along the inland road. One, about 3,000 yards inland, has been split up

The remaining Japs, their strongest call at last, starting new lines among hungry jungle natives.

Of the aerial war front, these achievements were issued:

The pilots at Dobo in the Aroe Islands was raided and one of three Japanese ships in harbor which attempted to intercept probably was damaged. A bomber in the same sector, a Japanese fighter was shot down by a bomber.

Japanese installations at Laubem in Portuguese Timor were bombed and near Jubjoet one of five Japanese fighters trying to intercept was damaged.

Along the coast of the Willaumez Peninsula in New Britain, three barges were strafed and those had to be beached. Also in New Britain, the Gazmata airdrome, a heavily bombed target, was raided, and gun positions were hit at the Cape Gloucester airdrome.

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BULLETINS

RECEIVES NOMINATION

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (CP).—Charles L. Wheeler, of Los Angeles, was nominated today for president of Rotary International for 1943-44. His selection by the nominating committee will place him in the presidency succession for the year after. If no other nomination is received from a member club before April 1.

TO OBSERVE DAY

TORONTO, Jan. 20 (CP).—Heads of leading religious denominations in Canada have designated Sunday, January 24, to be observed as "Aid to Russia Sunday." A. E. McLean, chairman of the national committee of the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund, announced today. Pastoral letters have been sent to several thousand clergymen across Canada asking them to call the attention of their congregations to the needs of the Russian people.

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Negotiations At Standstill

Steel Strikers Not Accepting Government's Terms for Return to Work

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 (CP) — A R Mosher, president of the Canadian Congress of Labor, and two representatives of Philip Murray, United Steelworkers of America president, conferred late this afternoon with Labor Minister Mitchell after a day in which negotiations to an effort to end strikes in three major Canadian steel plants appeared at a standstill.

The conference lasted more than two hours and at its conclusion there was no comments from any of the men present.

The meeting took place only a few hours after C H Millard, national director of the United Steelworkers of America, announced he was without Prime Minister Mackenzie King informing him a seven-point strike settlement plan proposed by the

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New Plan for Training Of Officers for Army

Selection Centres to Be Set Up at Gordon Head And Brockville to Carefully Study Applicants

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 (CP).—The Defence Department announced tonight a new system for selection and employment of potential officers for the Canadian Army, based on close and expert study of each candidate.

To carry out the plan, officers' selection centres will be set up in Eastern and Western Canada. The announcement said that Brig. W. W. Foster, officer in command of Military District No. 6 at Halifax, will be chairman of one of the Eastern selection boards.

Chairman of the Western board has not yet been appointed.

Defence Headquarters said that any soldier who thinks he has officer qualities can apply to his superior officer for permission to be sent to one of these centres. Even though the commanding officer may not himself favor the application, the applicant will be entitled to have it sent forward to the selection board for consideration.

The new programme, in charge of Brig Howard Kennedy, deputy adjutant-general at Defence Headquarters, applies to the selection of young men to qualify as officers in the Canadian Army and to take the officers' training course at either Brockville, Ont., or Gordon Head, Vancouver Island.

Rejected candidates to fill the

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Ferry is Caught in Big Ice Jam

CHARLOTTETOWN, Jan. 21 (CP). — The Borden-Cape Tormentine ferry Prince Edward Island was still caught in heavy ice early today, more than eight hours after she left her pier at Cape Tormentine, N.B., last night.

Mails and passengers aboard the ferry were scheduled to arrive at Charlottetown at 9:30 p.m. yesterday.

It was believed the ship would make port with the port favorable tide.

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Twenty-Four-Year-Old Flyer Bags Two Nazis

Veteran of Battles of France and Britain Plunges Into Fight With Enthusiasm as German Planes Raid London—All "Offensively Minded" Now

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, Jan. 20 (CP).—It's Dickie speaking—Wing Cmdr. Dickie Milne, twenty-four, D.F.C. and bar, a vateren of he betiles of France and Britain, a man who looks younger than your younger brother, a man who shot down two German fighter bombers in today's daylight attack on London. He has something you'll like to hear:

"We don't fight defensively any more. Everyone of us is offensively minded. Even today, when technically we were resisting attack, that isn't the way we felt. We didn't go up to keep those Jerries from attacking our country. We went up to see they didn't get back to theirs."

This calm young man from Edinburgh sprang into his Spitfire and was 5,000 feet aloft looking for action before he had time to fasten his safety belt or plug his mask hose into the oxygen tank.

He was in the air over England with Canadians, South Africans, Fighting French and Australians, who all helped to chase the Nazis back across the Channel.

SPEARHEAD OF ACTION

Dickie Milne shot down two—a Messerschmitt 109F and a Focke Wulf 190—of the fourteen Germans destroyed. He was part of the fighting counter-attack in which a leading part was taken by Canadian Spitfire pilots who damaged three fleeing Germans. His wing, which includes a Fighting French squadron, was the spearhead of the counter-action, shooting down seven enemy aircraft without loss to itself.

Three German fighters were damaged by two members of an R.C.A.F. Spitfire squadron. F.O. Hugh Godefroy, of Toronto, scored a hit on one German fighter and two others were damaged by P.O. H. Macdonald, of Toronto.

Godefroy and Macdonald, members of a Spitfire squadron commanded by Squadron Leader Keith Hodson, of London, Ont., were patrolling near the south coast when the Germans headed homewards. They intercepted three over the Channel. Godefroy damaged his victim with a long burst, and Macdonald landed on the tails of his two and saw cannon and machine-gun fire hit them. The Germans apparently were short of fuel or ammunition for they did not oppose the attacks.

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FIFTEEN PERISH AS VESSEL SINKS

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lost overboard and four were dead when the boat reached shore.

The two survivors, First Officer Ray Perry and A. Henry Gerbrandt, reached a cabin ashore owned by a trapper, Bernt Ronning. Ronning made them as comfortable as possible in his cabin and began a two-day trek through thick bush to a telephone. He notified Provincial Police at Port Alice at 4:40 p.m. Monday and steps were taken to bring Perry and Gerbrandt to hospital at the latter place.

The four bodies recovered, those of Second Officer David B. King, Arthur Ordway, Ernest Minard and Nick Sergic now are at Port Alice where an inquest will be held later this week. Later the two survivors and the bodies will be taken to Vancouver.

DOWN WITH SHIP

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20 (CP).—Fifteen British Columbia seamen perished when the coastal freighter Northolm was sunk in a wild Pacific storm last Saturday, foundering so quickly that nine of them went down with the ship.

Of the eight who escaped in a lifeboat, only two survived, it was announced today by Union Steamships, Ltd. The 150-foot vessel, a veteran of countless coastal storms, was registered in the name of the company's subsidiary, Frank Waterhouse & Company, of Canada, Ltd.

All but three of the crew came from Vancouver. The list of known dead follows.

Frank McMahon, master.

David B. King, second officer.

Alan Findlay, chief engineer.

Allen McLellan, second engineer.

Nelson Macale, third engineer.

Arthur Ordway, quartermaster, of Kimberley, B.C.

Arthur Gee, quartermaster.

E. Minard, quartermaster, New Westminster, B.C.

George Nordstrom, able seaman, Quatsino, B.C.

Stan Boyle, able seaman.

Nick Sergic, able seaman.

Henry Sergic, fireman.

D. Robinson, fireman.

R. Armstrong, fireman.

Wong Chee, cook.

The company said that smashing broadside seas sweeping in from the Pacific as the vessel rounded the northwestern extremity of Vancouver Island were responsible for the loss of the sturdy little freighter. She apparently was running for the shelter of an island when swamped and sunk.

Two of the eight men who got away in the lifeboat were swept overboard. Four others were dead when found by rescuers.

The two survivors were Ray Perry, chief officer, and A. Henry Gerbrandt. They have been taken to Port Alice, B.C., a pulp and paper town on the northwest coast of the island, along with the bodies of four shipmates—King, Ordway, Minard and Nick Sergic. Search is continuing for the other bodies.

The Northolm had completed an upcoast run and was Vancouver-bound when she foundered at 1:30 p.m. last Saturday. It was one of the worst marine disasters on the British Columbia Coast in many years.

Fate played a hand in the selection of the ill-fated ship's crew. Captain McMahon sailed to relieve the regular master, Captain Leslie Stevens. Winchman Stan Boyle and his mate Joe Nordstrom had several days' leave coming to them, but decided to take another trip. Henry Sergic was making his last voyage before joining the Royal Canadian Navy. He was an experienced deep-sea sailor, having survived four days aboard a raft in the Atlantic after the Norwegian ship he was serving on was sunk little more than a year ago. Nick Sergic, also lost, was his brother.

Captain McMahon was born in Limerick, Ireland, and had sailed the British Columbia Coast for twenty-five years or more. His chief officer, Ray Perry, is a Newfoundlander, who is also a veteran of this Coast. Second Officer David King was with the Kingsley Navigation Company until about three years ago.

The Northolm was built in Bristol, England, and is a sister ship to three other freighters operated on this Coast by the Waterhouse Company.

Chief Officer Bernard Shadforth, who had all his fingers and both legs amputated in Halifax, Canada, after suffering severe frostbite following the torpedoing of his ship in the Atlantic, is looking for a job. Shadforth was flown from Canada to Britain when he recovered and now has been fitted with artificial legs and is learning to walk.

GREATER NEED FOR DEVOTION

Task of Church Greater Today, Emmanuel Baptist Congregation Told

More than at any time in the past the carrying out of the task of the church today requires vision, devotion and a more sympathetic understanding of its needs, Rev. Wilfrid L. McKay, pastor of Emmanuel Baptist Church, declared at the annual meeting and banquet last night.

George F. Waites, moderator of the church, presided and the supper was served by the Women's Society.

Encouraging reports were given by representatives of all branches of church activity. The report of A. B. Boyer, church clerk, showed an increase in membership, and the financial statement presented by T. R. Main showed the church to be in sound condition with a substantial balance on hand.

MUCH ACCOMPLISHED

The report of the Women's Society, including the Flora Cogswell Group, the Peranon Group and the Junior Mission Circle, showed that much had been accomplished during the year by the women of the church in the raising of the mission budget and in war services work.

The Sunday school report showed that the work in Emmanuel School and Shelbourne Street Mission was progressing and rendering valuable service for the children of the community.

Other reports submitted included the board of deacons, board of trustees, pastoral, choir, envelope steward, auditor, C.G.I.T., B.Y.P.U., music committee, British and Foreign Bible Society, Western Baptist, Lord's Day Alliance and Red Cross Unit.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The following officers were elected: G. F. Waites, moderator; D. E. Smith, W. Dinsmore, Mr. Waites, J. R. Clements, C. M. Cross and W. J. Miles, deacons; A. H. Marrion, H. T. Zala, George Anstey, P. Mindenhall and G. W. Erikson, board of trustees; Mr. Boyer, church clerk; T. R. Main, treasurer; W. P. Marchant and E. G. Marriott, auditors; Mr. Erikson, envelope steward; Mrs. H. Clark, Miss O. Abercrombie and Ira Green, tellers; William Dinsmore, chief usher; Mr. Waites, Lord's Day Alliance representative; Mrs. A. Pinkerton, British and Foreign Bible Society representative; W. J. Wilson, Temperance League representative; Mrs. H. P. Zala, Mrs. C. W. Cross and Mrs. W. L. McKay, baptismal committee; H. C. Parfitt, Mr. Boyer and G. Price, Shelbourne Street Mission committee; Rev. W. L. McKay, Mrs. Zala, Mrs. M. Bancroft, Miss Vera Parfitt and J. P. Wescott, War Services committee; Mrs. G. F. Waites and Mrs. A. H. Marrion, Western Baptist.

SUB-ZERO COLD CRIPPLES WEST

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condition was one of the worst in the city's history.

Schools were ordered closed until transportation facilities were returned to normal, although war plants remained open for all workers who could reach their jobs.

In New Westminster the Queen Elizabeth School was closed because of burst water pipes, and transportation difficulties were encountered.

SEATTLE STORM-BOUND

For the first time in a year Seattle radio stations yesterday were allowed to mention the weather, because of the impossible overload caused on the telephone system by workers reporting inability to reach their jobs through the worst snowstorm in twenty years.

Nearly all war workers were told to stay from their work today, and not return until Friday. All large department stores, a chain of theatres, the University of Washington, and public schools will remain closed today.

Skiers are allowed to use municipal golf courses but have been requested not to cross greens.

SEATTLE HARD HIT

SEATTLE, Jan. 20 (AP).—The wintry grip of the heaviest snow in twenty years disrupted ship and airplane production in Seattle today, knocked out power lines intermittently, closed schools and principal stores and crippled severely the city's transportation system.

In the wake of the snowstorm, a bitter cold wave was on the way. The United States Weather Bureau forecast today:

"Snow. Washington. Northern Oregon and Northern Idaho. Cold wave moving in today and tonight; temperature falling to 10 to 15 degrees west of Cascades and near zero east of Cascades. High winds occasionally of gale force."

It was an unpleasant prospect for a region blanketed in snow and slush.

The stopping of major war industry production was due partly to power failures caused by the snow and partly to the difficulties of workers getting to their jobs. Being a city built on hills may add to Seattle's scenic attraction, but it is a splitting headache for the trackless trolly and bus system in its first major Winter test since it replaced the street cars. Most parts of the city, however, were able to get some sort of abbreviated service.

The biggest single interruption in service was the closing of Boeing airplane plant production. The closing order came today after only about 40 per cent of the day shift workers were able to reach the main plant.

The smaller Boeing No. 1 plant and the Renton unit were shut down the previous night because of power failures.

The Boeing Company issued a statement that it expected to resume its regular production at the start of the Friday day shift.

The Seattle-Tacoma Shipbuilding Corporation and the Todd Yards on Harbor Island were closed because of a power failure. The same trouble hit the Associated Shipbuilders plant. The Lake Washington Shipyards closed at noon and the two night shifts were canceled.

One man was electrocuted and another killed in a traffic accident directly attributed to the weather situation. A fallen electric wire brought death to Edward Lavandovski, forty-three, a shipyard guard, on a street last night. Harvey Elmo Shelton, twenty-six, was killed in his car's crash into the rear of a stalled truck's trailer on the Ballard Bridge.

COAL SHORTAGE

EDMONTON, Jan. 20 (CP).—A coal shortage tonight threatened a number of cities and towns in Western Canada during Winter's coldest weather. Temperatures dropped as low as 57 degrees below zero.

At Edmonton, where the temperature was 52 below, dealers reported many householders were "down to their last bucketfull." Other places were reported to have only enough coal to last a few days.

At Red Deer, 100 miles south of Edmonton, the City Hall was reported without coal and citizens were reported borrowing coal "by the bucket" from neighbors who still had supplies.

W. J. Taylor, of Calgary, coal administrator for the Prairie Provinces, said the coal shortage was "acute" not only in Calgary but to a more serious extent in other points in the West and in Ontario.

Dealers at Calgary reported they had no coal. It was estimated only 5 per cent of the homes in the city depend on coal for heat. Others are heated with gas.

In Edmonton one dealer suggested that a rationing system be put into effect to spread meagre coal supplies to needy customers.

Meanwhile the Midland mine at Drumheller, Alta., suffered a breakdown yesterday, curtailing deliveries, and in the East Coulee, Alta., field the Atlas Mine Company, Limited reported from 150 to 175 miners went on strike when the men objected to selection of two coal loaders to undertake necessary timbering work in the mine.

Although there were no reports of serious shortage in Saskatchewan, coal handlers were busy filling orders.

Temperatures at main points were 50 below or colder. The Prince Albert reading was 57.5 below.

At Moose Jaw it was reported schools had sufficient coal only for ten days.

The situation in Brandon, Man., was reported "getting serious," and unless fuel can be obtained schools may be forced to close Monday. Coal dealers have been rationing customers for some time.

Winnipeg coal dealers said they faced an acute delivery problem. While several dealers said they had no fuel, others said they had ample supplies. A meeting will be held tomorrow to discuss pooling of delivery facilities.

J. B. Steele, chief operating engineer of the Winnipeg School Board, said that, unless there was a letup in the weather and the problem of distributing the coal was remedied from twelve to fifteen schools would have to close next week. Arrival of forty-five tons of coal today for five of the schools brought temporary relief.

Winnipeg's temperature was 42 below today.

FORTY-SEVEN BELOW

At Flin Flon, in Northern Manitoba, citizens experienced the coldest weather in eight years as the mercury dropped to forty-seven below and coal dealers were deluged with orders. A shipment of coal which arrived Monday expelled fears of an acute shortage.

The temperature at Island Falls, Sask., forty-five miles north of Flin Flon, dipped to the lowest on record, as the entire North country was held in an icy grip. A shift in the wind today was the first indication since late last week that a break in the weather may come soon.

TWENTY DEATHS

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP).—A wave of sub-zero cold harassed the mid-Western United States today.

Temperatures ranged down to twenty-two below zero in Roseau, Minn.

Chicagoans donned their heaviest coats, ear muffs and overshoes as the thermometer registered thirteen below, the lowest of the Winter and an all-time mark for the date.

Twenty deaths attributed to the weather in the Central States, and many persons were treated for frost bite.

Schools were closed in many parts of Illinois, but they remained open in Chicago on the theory that the children who live in poorly heated homes would be better off in their classrooms.

Some temperatures recorded by the weather bureau were: Garrison, N.D., —31; Glasgow, Mont., —26; Lemmon, S.D., —25; Valentine, Neb., —22; La Crosse, Wis., —20; South Bend, Ind., —22; Battle Creek, Mich., and Spencer, Iowa, —16; Rockford, Ill., —13.

TIE-UP IN CALGARY

CALGARY, Jan. 20 (CP).—The worst traffic tie-up in history faces Calgary today as the result of a cold wave, with street car officials reporting the system crippled. Thirteen street cars have burned out their motors, and it is not known how long the trams can be kept in operation on a reduced scale. Many schools are closed and practically all meetings have been canceled.

WESTERN CANADA

WINNIPEG, Jan. 20 (CP).—A cold wave, with temperatures reaching the lowest of the Winter, continued across Western Canada today.

From the Prairie Provinces came reports of Arctic weather. Prince Albert, in Northern Saskatchewan, held the low point for the Prairies—56 below during the night. It was 54 at Saskatoon, and 52 at Edmonton, equaling the Alberta capital's all-time low of January 13, 1911.

The Pas, 500 miles north of here, reported 50 below and in Winnipeg it was 41. In 1936, the mercury dropped to a record low of 53 in Winnipeg.

Many other Prairie districts had temperatures far below the 30-below mark, with 42 at Regina, 38 at Moose Jaw and 40 at Battleford, Sask., and Minnedosa, Man. It was 31 below at Calgary.

TWO PERISH

MIDLAND, Ont., Jan. 20 (CP).—Trying to make their way through sub-zero weather from the railway station to their farm home last night an elderly couple from Port McNicoll, Mr. and Mrs. William Terry, were frozen to death.

A passerby, Ted Stacey, found Terry in an exhausted condition by the side of the road and was told that Mrs. Terry had died a short distance away. Terry himself died shortly afterwards.

ROOF COLLAPSES

BREMERTON, Wash., Jan. 20 (AP).—The roof and one wall of the Ice Bowl, skating resort, collapsed under the heavy weight of snow last night. Owners estimated damage at $15,000.

ADVANCE RAPID IN NEW GUINEA

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In New Guinea, the Madang airdrome and wharf were bombed, as was the Finschhaffen wharf. In the Kumusi River sector, Kurenada village was strafed.

In Washington the Navy Department announced that American troops, pressing relentlessly the campaign to eliminate enemy forces on Guadalcanal, had killed 1,032 Japanese in five days of jungle warfare.

In actions ranging from patrol skirmishes to fairly large-scale engagements, the Americans advanced on the Japanese and wiped out group after group in the five days ending January 17, the announcement said.

A number of the engagements were within a short distance of Henderson Field, American air base.

DUTCH MARINES HONORED

LONDON, Jan. 20 (CP).—Queen Wilhelmina today decorated a number of officers and men of The Netherlands Merchant Marine including the captain of a liner who received the military Williams Order, fourth class, for gallantry during the North African expedition.

BRACKEN LIKES THE RUML PLAN

"Pay-as-You-Go" Obviously The Thing, He Says—Tribute to Reporters

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 (CP).—Canada should adopt a "pay-as-you-go" income tax system as a fair way of obtaining Government money from income, John Bracken, National Progressive Conservative leader, said here at a press conference.

Here for consultation with House and Senate leaders of the party, Mr. Bracken was asked about the Ruml plan for income tax collections.

"It's obviously the thing to do," Mr. Bracken said. "When the income tax was instituted it was applied on the income of the year before because there appeared no other way of raising the money required from income."

Mr. Bracken said he could not say whether some Conservative members propose to urge the Ruml plan for Canada when the House of Commons sittings resume January 27.

The former Premier of Manitoba, elected Progressive Conservative leader at a national convention in Winnipeg, said no decision has been made as to the constituency in which he will seek election to the House.

"Have a seat or seats been offered to you?" he was asked.

"Yes," said Mr. Bracken.

"But I have had no offer from Prime Minister Mackenzie King," he added, smiling.

A party caucus will be held before the opening of the House, and at it consideration will be given to the Conservative leadership, Mr. Bracken said.

Conservative House Leader Hanson has indicated he desires to vacate that post for reasons of health, and a successor may have to be chosen to act until such time as Mr. Bracken is elected to Parliament.

In his first meeting with Press Gallery correspondents in Ottawa, Mr. Bracken said his experiences with reporters have been happy.

"My speeches as reported have always been better than when I gave them," he grinned.

Asked for his view on the manpower situation, Mr. Bracken said the labor shortage is the most serious problem facing the farmer.

"It has been said that 200,000 men and women have left Canada's more than 700,000 farms," he said. "You can't take that many people off the farms and expect them to produce more each year. The situation is obvious."

Diversified farming on the Prairies is a desirable tendency, Mr. Bracken said, but in itself would not solve the agricultural problem.

After the war the Rowell-Sirois Commission recommendations on Dominion-Provincial relations should be studied carefully. Mr. Bracken said he did not think they should be pressed in wartime.

Asked about his references in recent speeches to "bureaucracy" in Government, Mr. Bracken said Canadians should see there is no drift away from democratic methods in Government.

Eighty-year-old Mrs. Elizabeth Watt, of Brighton, received her call-up papers. "I wrote and told them I had just turned eighty," she said, "but if they still want me I'll be ready."

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THE KNOW-IT-ALL

The trucker was very much surprised to get a call from a man who said he had to have a dead horse, but nevertheless offered to help. The dead horse was found.

"Now," said the 'client,' "I want you to drive over to my house with him."

By now the trucker thought the man was crazy but he was getting paid for the job, so off he went. Arriving at the house, he was told to take the dead horse in and up to the bathroom and put it in the bath tub.

"You mean to say you want this dead horse put in your bath tub?"

"That's what I said."

So the dead horse was placed in the bath tub with much effort. But when he had been paid the trucker could stand it no longer. "Now look here," he said. "Just why did you want him put in your bath tub?"

"Well," came the reply, "it's like this. I've got a brother-in-law living with me and he's too darned smart. Everything you tell him he knows it first. Now he's going to come home pretty soon, and he'll go into the bathroom and then he'll come running down to me and tell me there's a dead horse in the bath tub, and I'll say, 'Sure, I knew that an hour ago.'"

'Flannelfoot' Henry Williams, one of the most notorious criminals known to Scotland Yard died in a Midlands hospital at fifty-four. He earned his nickname because of his habit of muffling his feet with lengths of flannel. He made more than 2,000 burglaries over a five-year period before police finally caught up to him.

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Astonishing Feat of B.C. Flyer Praised

F.O. Ian Mills, of Vancouver, Lands Huge Bomber, Engines Dead, in Rough Sea Then, Shipping Water, Battered, Takes Off and Gets "Home"

WITH THE R.A.F. SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, Jan. 20 (CP).—The Sunderland's floor boards were buckling in the battering of heavy seas, crockery was smashing like shrapnel inside and the sea beneath was laden dangerously with jettisoned depth charges and bombs, but the Canadian pilot, with six other Canadians in his crew, brought the big flying boat back to safety.

This astonishing feat of F.O. Ian Mills, of Vancouver, in getting the Sunderland back into the air after it was forced into the sea by engine failure has been recognized in congratulations by Coastal Command.

With Mills were P.O. Doug Johnston, navigator; P.O. Norman Martin, second navigator, and Sergeant O. R. Locke, gunner, all of Winnipeg; Flight Sergeant G. M. Ulrich, Hillcrest, Alta., second pilot; P.O. Hubert LeGeault, Marionville, Ont., gunner; A.C. Tom Cross, Toronto, and an English flight engineer.

The Sunderland was on its way to pick up a convoy when trouble started to close in. The cloud base dropped to 100 feet in places, bad icing conditions prevailed and there was rain driven by a high wind. The Sunderland was pounding along toward its objective at about 800 feet when near-disaster really arrived. The aircraft hit a down-draft in the bumpy air, bounced down toward the sea, and both port engines cut out.

Mills couldn't maintain altitude by using only the starboard engines, so although there was heavy danger in landing the craft with its load of explosives he brought it down in a short glide for a perfect landing in the pitching seas.

JETTISONS BOMBS

First operation after landing was to jettison depth charges and bombs.

"They had been made safe, of course," explained Martin, the navigator, "but we were certainly sitting over an awful lot of high explosive if anything had gone wrong."

Then, while LeGeault was sending out an SOS, the flight engineer managed to restart the engines. Mills decided to try to taxi toward shore, but when he turned the aircraft out of the wind the starboard float submerged and water poured in through the pilot's windows and the astro-hatch. The aircraft was shipping more water than the pumps could handle, so Mills knew the crew's only salvation would be in a successful take-off.

His first attempt failed. Then he throttled the inner engines gave the outer ones everything they would take, and tried again.

"This time we made it," he related later. "A bucking bronco had nothing on the Sunderland on the take-off. One second we were surfboarding down the backside of a swell, burying out nose in the trough. The next we were bouncing into the air. The navigators were frantically trying to catch cups as they ricochetted off the wall. On each bounce the boat gained a little more airspeed and at about sixty-five knots it became airborne."

Two hours later they reached base and looked over their aircraft. The pounding it had taken had been phenomenal. The bows were bent up, sides of the hull creased, tailplane bashed in and propellers pitted and bent.

SOVIETS ADVANCE SEVENTEEN MILES

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Two railway trains loaded with motor vehicles and other equipment fell along with the city.

In the Caucasus the Red Army overran Proletarskaya about twenty-three miles from Nazi-held Salsk, a key rail and air base 100 miles southeast of Rostov. It is from Salsk that the Germans have been flying in supplies to the twenty-two Nazi divisions slowly being throttled to death in the trap before Stalingrad.

South of Proletarskaya the Russians cleared out the enemy from the entire northern bank of the Manych Canal. The canal lies between the lake area of the North Central Caucasus and the Manych River that flows northward into the Don east of Rostov.

Deeper in the Caucasus the Russians advancing northwestward along the Mineralnye Vody-Armavir-Rostov railway captured Nevinnomysskaya, only fifty miles from Armavir on the approaches to the Nazi-held Maikop oil fields.

TIGHTEN NOOSE

Thus the Russians were slowly tightening an almost completed noose around the Nazi armies in the Caucasus, forcing them to fall back on Rostov which is menaced from the North and East by Russian armies operating as close as sixty or seventy miles.

Nevinnomysskaya, 200 miles southeast of Rostov, is the lower end of this irregular loop, and the western end is the Black Sea.

The noon communique said the Russians have crossed the Manych River which is north of the Salsk-Proletarskaya area. These troops and those operating along the Lower Don River are meeting determined Axis resistance because of their nearness to Rostov, capture of which would cut off the retreat of big Nazi forces deep in the Caucasus.

Soviet troops crossing the Donets River south of Kamensk, eighty-five miles north of Rostov, also are threatening to close this ring that developed from a triple Russian offensive sprung from Stalingrad, the Middle Don and the Caucasian Mountain foothills. This Red Army column last was reported only seventy-five miles from Rostov.

Ten other Soviet operations are under way on an irregular front stretching 1,200 miles across Russia. On the central front southwest of Velikie Luki ninety miles from the Latvian frontier the noon communique said five more towns were added to the Red Army's list.

On the Leningrad front, Moscow dispatches said the Russians were storming two major German positions in an attempt to widen the relief corridor to that city that underwent a seventeen-month siege. One of the Nazi strongpoints was described as the enemy's main bastion in the Volkhov area southeast of Leningrad.

OFFICERS WIN AWARDS

MELBOURNE, Jan. 20 (AAP).—Thirty non-commissioned officers of the Australian Imperial Force have been awarded fifteen Distinguished Conduct Medals and fifteen Military Medals for gallantry in the fighting at El Alamein, Egypt, in the initial repulse of Rommel's Africa Korps from the Nile Delta.

LIMITING HOURS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP).—Gasoline service stations throughout the United States may stay open not more than seventy-two hours a week, and for not more than twelve hours a day, the Office of Petroleum Administration ordered Tuesday. The order is effective Saturday.

BARON VON BECK DEAD

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP).—The Berlin radio, as recorded by The Associated Press, said today Baron Max Vladimir von Beck, Prime Minister of Austria-Hungary from 1906 to 1908, who introduced women's suffrage in that country, died at Vienna, Tuesday, at the age of eighty-nine.

BELFAST'S LORD MAYOR

BELFAST (CP).—The Lord Mayor of Belfast, Alderman C. R. Slack died after serving seven months in office. He was a member of the city council for many years and was High Sheriff in 1935.

MINISTER HURT IN CAR CRASH

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MacKinnon, Ottawa surgeon assisted by Dr. C. B. Petrie, Dr. W. O. Fraser and Dr. Harold Jost at Ottawa Civic Hospital.

"Dr. MacKinnon stated that Mr. Ralston suffered a fractured right wrist, a cut through the lower lip into the mouth, a cut over his chin requiring six stitches to close, and an injury to the soft tissues of his knee. X-rays revealed no other fractures.

"Colonel Currie received an haematoma or bad effusion of blood to the whole left side of his face right up to the skull and he complained of pains in a hip. The X-rays showed he suffered no bone fractures."

MAY RATION FERTILIZER

QUEBEC, Jan. 20 (CP).—Andre Auger head of a department of the Provincial Ministry of Agriculture, told newspapermen today that the Dominion Government would probably ration fertilizer if they were unable to better storage facilities.

NEGOTIATIONS AT STANDSTILL

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Government yesterday was "completely unsatisfactory" to workers in the steel plants.

Delegates from the United Steelworkers of America locals at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Sydney, N.S. and Trenton, N.S., said they had been informed the strikers would not go back to work under the terms suggested by the Government. In particular, the men said they wanted a minimum basic rate of 55 cents an hour plus cost-of-living bonus. The Government's proposal was to establish a minimum rate of 55 cents including the bonus.

No arrangements had been made for another Government-union-management meeting. The last of a series of joint conferences took place Tuesday afternoon when the Government proposal was presented.

Lacking plans for continuation of the negotiations which opened last Saturday, union delegates said their return to their homes would depend on instructions from their local unions.

HAMILTON, Jan. 20 (CP).—Members of Local 1005 of the United Steelworkers of America (C.I.O.) voted 95 per cent tonight in favor of strike action if the management of the Steel Company of Canada refuses to grant union recognition.

SIXTY CHILDREN DIE IN AIR RAID

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across a street into a row of houses.

In Southern England, where the raiders also delivered destruction, one elderly man died of shock in a southeast coastal town where forty to sixty planes appeared in two waves, but dropped no bombs.

Two brief alarms sounded in London between dark and midnight, but no planes or gunfire were heard. German night raiders kept hitting at the south, dropping incendiaries on the residential area of a southeast coast town and starting a small number of fires which were quickly put out. No casualties were reported in the night attack but there was considerable property damage.

On another part of the southeast coast planes flew inland and heavy gunfire was heard.

THIRTEEN SHOT DOWN

Probably thirty heavily escorted raiders were bound for London and in all, at least thirteen Focke-Wulf 190's and Messerschmitt 109 fighter-bombers were shot down by R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. fighters. Two Allied fighters were lost, but the pilot of one is safe.

Civil Defence authorities said the school disaster was the worst suffered by the London schools from the aerial attacks in the war. The highest previous death toll in bombed schools was twenty-four.

Twice the usual number of children had remained at the school cafeteria instead of going home for immediately after the luncheon they were going on a theatre party.

Residents said three planes flew low over the district and dropped bombs.

Some of the explosives wrecked an entire block of buildings nearby. Children on a playground escaped machine-gun fire from the planes, but three persons half a block away were wounded.

Men digging in the school ruins came upon the mutilated body of the grey-haired school mistress, her broken arms twisted about her head as if to shield her face. From the waist down her body was under heavy wreckage.

A few yards away her white-faced, tight-lipped husband stood silently watching the scene.

Fire broke out in the school but it was extinguished after a two-hour fight.

The majority of the mothers and fathers of the children work in war factories and did not learn until tonight that their sons and daughters would not be home any more.

Most of the 400 pupils attending the school had returned to London from evacuation areas a year ago, and the school was reopened for them. It had been hit by a bomb in 1940 and five persons were killed.

BIG "DOG FIGHTS"

Although the raid was relatively small, it resulted in the biggest "dog fights" over England since the dark days of the Battle of Britain.

Escorted by up to 100 fighters some twenty-five German fighter-bombers approached the coast at Beach Read, fanned out and headed straight for London at top speed.

Some half-dozen got through the R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. fighters, who heavily engaged the force and damaged many others in addition to shooting down the thirteen.

The raiders slipping through to London wrecked several houses in at least four districts, damaged shops and a train, and machine-gunned shoppers in the streets.

Sweeping over rooftops to evade the great number of anti-aircraft guns in the London area, the raiders let go their bombs and raked everything in sight and then turned for home.

Some of the escort and other fighter-bombers attacked villages in South England. A typical attack was made by four hedge-hopping fighters machine-gunning two villages on the London outskirts. Their fire at one place was turned on a racehorse owner and trainer and eight horses. Two horses were killed.

Other fighter-bombers flew over the rooftops of a southeastern town dropping high explosives among houses and shops.

The R.A.F. carried out intruder raids on occupied Europe last night, having slacked off operations since the Saturday and Sunday night raids on Berlin.

GUILTY OF THREAT

SHREVEPORT, La., Jan. 20 (AP).—A verdict of guilty as charged was returned by a jury in Federal Court here today against William Thomas Reid, oil man, charged with threatening to kill President Roosevelt. The jury had been out about four and one-half hours. Reid faces a maximum penalty of five years' imprisonment, a fine of $1,000 or both. He also faces another indictment charging seditious utterances.

C. CHIVERS IS COUNCIL HEAD

Island Labor Body Elects Officers—Parallel Parking Discussed

Charles Chivers was re-elected president of the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council at the annual meeting last night. Percy Rayment was named vice-president and Ernest Belton, secretary.

Committee chairmen for the year will be, O. A. Wilkinson, organizing; H. Rowland, press; C. Peck, legislative; A. Jacobs hall; W. C. Marshall, building trades. P. Dewhurst was named sergeant-at-arms.

New delegates seated in the council were W. T. Bradley and H. Sudlow, representing street car railwaymen; W. Hamilton, of the International Association of Fire Fighters, and G. Russell, of the Canadian postal employees.

PARALLEL PARKING

Members strongly favored pressing of the council's request for parallel parking on Douglas Street and will again make representations to the City Council to carry out this proposal under the powers vested in the committee on transportation.

It was decided to ask the Provincial Government to investigate the case of a workman, injured more than three months ago, who is reported to have received no compensation from the Workmen's Compensation Board.

Pursuing its request for the abolition of the dim-out in Victoria, the council will seek the support of R. W. Mayhew, M.P. To alleviate what were described as hazardous conditions the council will request that the dim-out be lifted at 7 a.m. It was believed this would enable workers to travel to work at less personal risk.

BUILDING BURNS

ST. JOSEPH, Que., Jan. 20 (CP).—Fire, that for a time threatened a section of this Beauce County village, today destroyed the property of Mrs. Eugene Daigle. The building housed Mrs. Daigle's home and store the home of Joseph Gilbert and the hairdressing establishment of Miss Gilberte Roy.

SEAMEN HONORED

HALIFAX, Jan. 20 (CP).—Nine Norwegian seamen were honored here Monday when presented with the Norwegian War Medal by Consul Harald Juell.

APPEAL NEEDS NEW METHODS

Board Chairman Tells Baptists Church Must Plan For Future

Changes in the church's methods of appeal, which he described as outdated, are necessary if its is to maintain its high place as an institution of influence in the community, H. C. Whittaker chairman of the board, declared last night.

Presenting his report at the annual meeting of First Baptist Church, when officers were elected and other reports heard, Mr. Whittaker declared that "if attendance is any criterion the church is lacking in its appeal."

Declaring that "happiness depends not on what we possess, but on what possesses us," Mr. Whittaker urged the exploration of possibilities for the improving of the church's services.

PROGRESS REPORTED

Progress in all activities, and satisfactory financial conditions were reflected in the reports, and the year was described as one of the best in the history of the church.

These results were noted by Mr. Whittaker, and he praised members of the congregation for their support. In urging a change in the church's approach, he said, he was thinking more of the requirements likely to come in the future.

OUTLINES OBJECTIVES

Rev. G. A. Reynolds, who presided, briefly outlined the church's objectives in the coming year.

"We want a better year," he said, "not particularly with more money coming in, but with more souls saved."

The beginning of a postwar planning policy was formulated with the appointment of a committee of three to select five persons to act on a permanent committee for "Christian and social re-establishment" of church members now in the services. The move resulted from a suggestion in the deacons' report, submitted by J. E. Hamilton.

The balance sheet, presented by O. A. Stevens, treasurer, showed receipts of $6,040.59 and expenditures of $5,882.93 with a balance on hand of $157.66. The 1943 budget listed estimated receipts at $5,135.

A decrease in Sunday school attendance during the year was shown in the report of Miss Norah Gibson, secretary-treasurer. Enrollment in 1942 totaled fifty-eight, comprising forty-six pupils and twelve teachers and officials. This compared with a total of seventy-two the previous year.

INTEREST INCREASING

Mr. Hamilton, missionary treasurer, in presenting his report, told of increased interest in this field of activity. He stressed "the importance of supporting home and foreign missions by prayers and liberal giving." Receipts were $865.14 he said.

The report of the Women's Union, submitted by Mrs. John Mackay, reflected the interest of the church in war activities and the extensive work undertaken in supplying comforts to men in the services.

The financial report of the union was given by Mrs. A. C. Ridout, and showed receipts of $818.90 and expenditures of $702.64.

Mr. Whittaker referred to the very considerable assistance given by the Women's Union to the building committee and to the support given by the Second Mile Club.

The club's report, read by Mrs. J. Pearse, told of a successful year. She described assistance given by the club to hospitals in bombed areas of Great Britain.

Other reports were presented as follows: Young People's, Mrs. W. Chambers; envelope steward's report, R. Rigby; C.G.I.T., Miss Gwennyth Phillips; choir, Miss Bette Matheson; choir finance, James Dinsmore; A. D. Stevens, church clerk's report.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Officers were elected as follows: G. A. Stevens, church treasurer; C. O. Gooderham, church clerk; R. Rigby, envelope clerk; W. Chambers, Sunday school superintendent; D. Stockdill, Mrs. G. Bishop and D. Pearmain, trustees for three years; Mrs. W. Foote and J. Dinsmore, trustees for two years; H. Whittaker, O. Holt and Dr. J. L. Gayton, trustees for one year; C. J. Moss, C. A. Munroe and C. O. Gooderham, deacons for three years; J. H. Tabor, W. W. McGill and O. W. Miller, deacons for two years; J. E. Hamilton and W. N. Findlay, deacons for one year. Captain Foote life deacon. Mrs. William Richardson president of the Women's Union. Wayne Chambers president of the Young People's Society; Miss Vera Waller, president of Tuckabatchee.

FROM TRACK TO TRACK

ROCHESTER, N.Y., Jan. 20 (AP).—Jumping from his stalled automobile, Edwin Tenny stood and watched a westbound express hit and carry the machine 600 feet before bouncing it on a parallel track—into the path of another train which bumped the auto back to the point of original impact.

The United States army is using twenty-eight types of combat planes.

Who Said "SPRING"

It hasn't been quite as springlike the last few days, but by the time this is printed we may be enjoying our usual balmy weather again. In the meantime we're enjoying unpacking the latest Spring arrivals, including the smartest velvet collared silk-lined Tweed Suits (and other things), and we invite you to share our enjoyment.

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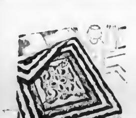

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GOVERNMENT BY ALARPHA

For more than a year past Canada in part has had government by delegated authority, which is government by surprise. One after another, policies of considerable bearing upon the public have been sprung on the people without adequate discussion in parliament, and sometimes even without mention there. The twelve-month rental policy, religious collection of wartime income taxes, and a score of other things which have become law were not threshed out in the House of Commons or Senate of Canada. For the regime, including those who sat in parliament and did not know what was going on, will defend that method. Many people will not.

At the result, end of government by surprise is centre-distraction. Its government by debate policies sprung upon the electorate like jack-in-the-boxes usually have to be taken back again, amended, patched, changed, and sometimes that they will approximately fit. That is the weakness of action through delegated authority. The authoritarian debate is eliminated, and unworkable proposals are codified into the law. That brings both the law and parliament into disrepute, and that is a very unhealthy state of affairs. It was the collapse of parliaments which laid Europe open to the ruin which we survey today. Dictators took their place.

A certain amount of delegated authority is perhaps inescapable in times of war, but only if effort to rule the country chiefly by that method—by the exclusion of parliament—will fail. Canada is not a land where people will submit to summary orders issued by boards which are not responsible to the people, and which in some instances have constitutionally ignored the fact that parliament that the people are looking for a correction of the situation before it gets out of hand.

Parliament, elected to represent the people, must do just that. It has a right to hear from the Government what it has in mind to propose, but also that which has been already done. It is the real law-making and taxing authority in the land. Its proposition as it has, ended any of its rights and privileges it has betrayed the electorate, and failed to live up to its true functions. Above all, parliament has the right of choice. That cannot be safely ceded to any other hands.

This is a matter which is beyond party in its narrow confining sense. All parties have sat in parliament, and have had representatives in it, enjoying their rights. In proportion as those rights have been allowed to be abridged, the country as a whole has suffered. Government by surprise too often has taken the place of government by debate. In our sense the regime of Canada has hidden itself behind a constitutional bourne, neither leading the country, nor standing wholly behind those who in Parliament in not a few instances have been ignored.

The test of that condition is the knowledge displayed by the actual members of the House. How much of Canada's current business have they known, or explained to their constituents? Were they, or the boards, the chief spokesmen in relation to governmental policy in the year that has past? The Cabinet is responsible to parliament, but the Cabinet is also responsible to the people, through parliament. To whom have the boards been responsible in fact? It has not often been to parliament.

In the coming session of the House of Commons, parliament should fulfil its whole function. It should neither be valerless nor supine. It should examine the country's business, including the taxation it approves, and see to it that the law it enacts will really work. And it should do that because that is a cause of war, and parliaments themselves are under fire.

RENTAL PROBLEMS

The creation of local rental control boards in Canada is seen it is to be presumed, in proper perspective of the fact that the personal equation plays a definite part in contracts between landlords and tenants. After the act which the law has had been complied with, there remained human differences that would have to be settled, and in so far as they have been able to do so, the rental boards may have tried to preserve that balance and fairly. Landlords, however, are human.

In one instance that came to the attention of this paper a landlord was advised by the rental authorities in give ninety-days notice to tenants who were not satisfactory upon personal grounds. The reasons need not be cited here. The fact was the authorities agreed with the landlord, and notice was served on the tenants in legal form. As the ninety-day period drew near to end, the tenants applied to the rental authorities. They were, in turn, assured that they did not need to move, if they could keep their peace and found another place to go.

Of what value, at this point, was the ninety-day notice, whether in legal or any other form? The tenants are not dependent on one lodging for personal course, would not be any more desirable in another lodging for the same reason, and lodging keepers have a way of looking the problem raises in the broad. And in the instance, the rental authorities were saying precisely the opposite thing to both landlord and tenant, simultaneously. The landlord was assured that the ninety-day notice was effective. The tenant was assured that it was not.

By and large, both tenants and landlords are reasonably-minded people, and the system, in some fashion, works. Lack of adequate machinery to care for the individual case, however, is working a real hardship in certain instances. Property owners should not be forced to the expense of a lawsuit to remove occupants who will not go short of any other means. The law is concerned with human equity, recognizes a worthy landlord and an unworthy tenant, or vice versa. Can rental control boards do less?

Once a board approves of a ninety-day notice it should stand behind that, otherwise confusion results. And confusion has resulted. Seeking for redress in an instance of this kind, applicants are sometimes sent from pillar to post, and back again. If the board issue its own mind in the first instance all this would be saved, and both landlords and their tenants would be protected. For rental control must be made to work evenly both ways, and is not for the tenant alone. Landlords also have human rights.

VICTORIA HONORED

A merited distinction came to a well-known resident of the community this week when he was elected vice-president of the Council of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada. Mr. R. Boyd Brydon, winner of the Chant Medal in Canada last year, was so honored, and this will cause as right welcome news to a host of friends in Victoria.

A Victorian by adoption, Mr. Brydon has been a pillar of strength to the Victoria Centre of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada. His development last year of a practical and inexpensive mounting for small telescopes used in astronomical observation, has brought a distinction in his debt, while his private researches are known and appreciated among professionals in this and allied science.

Mr. Brydon's efforts on behalf of this community extend a good deal farther back than that. He was one of a small coterie of interested observers who saw in the presence here of the seventy-inch reflecting telescope on Little Saanich Mountain an opportunity to develop and expand public interest in a vast and attractive science. Through the influence of such men, Victoria has built up an observers corps which is proving one of the most active and useful in Canada. Mr. Brydon's appointment to the council of the Dominion body is also in merited recognition of that. Not only a Victorian, but Victoria has been honored.

AN INVIDIOUS DISTINCTION

Sir Stafford Cripps is reported as having said with strong emphasis that the prominence of the peace settlement, when it comes, must be decided by the common people. The reason that it is the common people who are waging the war, Sir Stafford does not define the term "common people," but it is be supposed that he has in mind two groups into which he has divided the population. To one of these groups he applies the term "common," and to the other group the people who are not common, are not to have anything to say about the peace. Why? Presumably because they are not, in his opinion, doing anything to win the war.

That is the possible that Sir Stafford Cripps is so unaware of human nature and of what is going on in every part of the English-speaking world that he would seek to divide people into a clique, a political party, a business league, or a social or exclusive faction or fraction of the people that are in the class that is in the duty of the great struggle?

A little experience of the world, reinforced by a reasonable amount of plain sense, is sufficient to convince most people that patriotism, love of country, fidelity to the common cause, and determination to win are qualities to be found in much the same proportions among all the classes, ranks, and conditions of life which population may be divided. Nothing but evil can come from the practice of making arbitrary and unwarranted distinctions of this kind and of uttering injurious allegations against citizens of any status.

PETULANCE

Petulance is a lame prop at the best of times, but it is particularly so in the case of a public official. The more one has to do with the public, the more one learns that patience is the most precious quality of all. Yet, here and there about Canada today, there is a good deal of impatience in evidence; not, perhaps, among public officials alone, but generally in all walks and conditions of life.

In so far as those holding public office are concerned, impatience is often a sign of unfamiliarity with the tasks of such office, a reluctance to learn. The new broom would make a clean sweep of everything, mining the good with the bad and electing all together impatience is sometimes a mistake. Where it is not, where it is merely temper in disguise—and little disguised at that—impatience carries another name, petulance.

In most cases, a little longer term in office would be a salutary attack of very seldom made unless. Indeed, they have been limited. The tenure of the ill-tempered is understood, and patience is then directed to that end. Man is, perhaps, the counsel of perfection. Yet, looking at the greater or lesser outbreaks of temper in public officials, who is there who would be a little more resistant should he exercised all patience? Petulance is the small boy's trick, and it is from juveniles only that we expect a pout.

I VOW TO THEE MY COUNTRY

Love is there my Country—all earthly thing above—Entire and whole and perfect the service of my love—The love that asks no questions, the love that stands the test.

That lays upon the altar the dearest and the best—The love that never falters, the love that pays the price—The love that makes unstinted the final sacrifice.

And there's another Country, I've been of long aware—Most dear to them that love her, most hard to them that share—

We may not count her armies—we may not see her King—

Her fortress is a humble heart, her power is suffering—Her weapons are the cross of shame and her shining bounds in prayer.

Her ways are ways of pleasantness and all her paths are peace.

—Cecil Spring-Rice

DIRGE FOR THE YEAR

Orphan heads the year is born
Come and sish some and weep
Merry Mary, sighs the morn
For the year is but asleep
See, it smiles as it sleepeth,
Mocking your untimely grief.

As an earthquake rocks a corpse
In its coffin, so the pulse
So while Winter, that rough nurse
Rocks the dead-cold year asleep
Solemn hours! wind-voiced year!
For your mother in her shroud
As the wild air sighs and moans
The trembling hours, she is still asleep
While your lullaby
January sits by her
Like a sexton by her grave.
February bears the bier,
March with grief doth howl and rave
And April weeps—but, O ye hours,
Follow with May's fairest flowers.

—Percy Bysshe Shelley

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAYES

There is a mystery to some educated. Give it all the meteorological explanations you like. Say that snowfall when it comes is a handicap, a nuisance, an obstruction long and well, and still the attraction remains. For snow takes the attention and holds it very long way back in his, or her life—one child hood in fact. Snow was a delight then. Jack Frost, Old Man Winter, Snow Fairies attended him. But his attention goes still more deeply than that, snow becomes a new magic spell for the day, a one dress for the world.

Survey any town in the world in the mantle of a few inches of snow, and you will find a transformed place. Each dwelling has its shaggy roof and mounted eaves. Picket fences and paling now take on a crenelated form. The naked tree on the boulevard has become beautiful. The grass stands erect and individualized, with the two blades even remotely alike. The burns and desert wastes are blotted out. A new world has been created in a night.

Perhaps that is where the real secret lies, in the metamorphosis of the world we know, and that is only incomplete or disheveled or marred, and its place taken by that which is perfect in endeavour and form. The world becomes an affair of number, of order, and unsullied bride of a white new page itself to life. Round the bare tree with its tapping of cotton puffs—lo! the fine shaped frost to be admired. With the naked stem of the thorn, where every individual twig has been beaded with flashing jewels.

Mankind likes a new ledger sheet, a new page which he may write on—it something better than that, he may write before towardly he wishes the world to be. Man were palace in fact all of the beauty he wishes to see. Perfect, rounded, and complete—perfection indeed—perfection of form, of dreams, the first that brings back to him the world, and with that a new distance for endeavour and hope.

There is another magic in snow—if we ever listen any—and that is in what it does to human sound. Snow is a silencer. Its mantle stifles the sound, deadens and muffles sounds. The human footfall is muted—even perhaps for a time, dry crunch which is painful of itself. Voices at a distance are stifled. Whether from the mantle of the human voice force be is muted, soft-toned and it becomes an attribute in itself.

Snow, too, is the master of paradox. Wind, hail, rain and distance it seems to bring behind them, rises, from the hills yonder in a cloud of concentrated fog. Snow, it appears, is a magic powder. Where Oil course not has been, snow is one that but there are time, when it is not be all people to think as they do when they were very young, to make snow shape themselves on having grown up, it, for days. I for one will never do so. For snow was made for children and only children know its magic. To them it is a magic carpet.

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Time of tide—Pacific Standard time—at Victoria, B.C. Heights in feet and tenths.

Date	Time	Ht	Date	Time	Ht
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	2.30	7.2		2.45	7.2
	3.30	7.3		3.45	7.3
	4.30	7.4		4.45	7.4
	5.30	7.5		5.45	7.5
	6.30	7.6		6.45	7.6
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	26.30	9.6		26.45	9.6
	27.30	9.7		27.45	9.7
	28.30	9.8		28.45	9.8
	29.30	9.9		29.45	9.9
	30.30	10.0		30.45	10.0
	31.30	10.1		31.45	10.1

The time used is Pacific Standard Time, reckoned from midnight to 12 noon and from 12 noon to midnight. Thus, the time 0.30 is 30 minutes after midnight and 12.30 is 30 minutes after noon. Where there is a gap in the table, the tide does not rise or fall to the extent required to be shown in the table.

The Soviet Union stretches 6,000 miles from Central Europe to the Pacific Ocean and has 170,000,000 inhabitants.

Letters to the Editor

We refer to the Editor will be limited to 300 words. Preference will be given to those signing their names. This rule applies to letters to the editor. Short letters are more in vogue.

FUEL ANOTHER VIEW

Sir—In reply to your editorial of yesterday's date, may I say that while agreeing with you in principle it is very different when you try to put it into practice. I have been a long time driving a fuel truck and I don't know of anyone connected with the business who would mind early morning any person sick or sell of anything or cooking fuel. We go for to give a preference to homes where there are but, unfortunately for them, at this time of year, there are much out distance orders, only to find a lot of the houses have no sickness, and some of them have some fuel on hand. Being found like that does not make us feel any too happy, and it is tough on those who have nothing. I also notice in the paper the Fuel Control Board is coming out with a lot of criticism for making a serious situation more serious. The board has certainly made quite a lot of bad blunders of late, the National Selective Service and whoever was responsible for the wage-freezing order should come in for a share of the blame. There may be some, but I have not been responsible for an ordinary truck driver to put his job aside and go out to do a social work come up against slow-down problems every day, but never get forth in the best shape to do the job we have heard the saying, "An army marches on its stomach," but it the wheresoever is not (forthcoming has an they?

Not only the error but those on the home front are dependent on the fuel supply, and it is tough on them to come down to the little child, who is right now having a hard time to get the kind of nourishment the doctor had prescribed. I visited such a family the other morning and was also unable to obtain corn syrup or cocoa, and I know the baker, milk and as a substitute had to resort to the dried fruit and pay 35 per month for it. Yesterday evening the father is in the forces and cannot allow the family to eat.

If the wage tips too heavily one way what happens? I hope some authority will be appointed by proper organization to the one who have the proper power in reach a proper balance.

Food for overseas is not met by Canada's supply, and the Canadian out rumor the needed article of food for the forces and that the supply is also disappearing from the market. The end of it is not stopped hesitate it goes much further than that "where the end?

R. JOHNSON

1734 Richmond Street, Victoria BC

January 17, 1943.

Sunrise and Sunset

The dim... out period will commence at 5.15 p.m. and continue until 8.25 Friday morning.

Sunrise and sunset and Moon rise and moon set—Pacific Standard time—at Victoria, B.C.

Date	Sun Rise	Sun Set	Moon Rise	Moon Set
1	7.54	4.29	11.11	1.11
2	7.54	4.30	11.41	1.41
3	7.54	4.31	12.11	2.11
4	7.54	4.32	12.41	2.41
5	7.54	4.33	1.11	3.11
6	7.54	4.34	1.41	3.41
7	7.54	4.35	2.11	4.11
8	7.54	4.36	2.41	4.41
9	7.54	4.37	3.11	5.11
10	7.54	4.38	3.41	5.41
11	7.54	4.39	4.11	6.11
12	7.54	4.40	4.41	6.41
13	7.54	4.41	5.11	7.11
14	7.54	4.42	5.41	7.41
15	7.54	4.43	6.11	8.11
16	7.54	4.44	6.41	8.41
17	7.54	4.45	7.11	9.11
18	7.54	4.46	7.41	9.41
19	7.54	4.47	8.11	10.11
20	7.54	4.48	8.41	10.41
21	7.54	4.49	9.11	11.11
22	7.54	4.50	9.41	11.41
23	7.54	4.51	10.11	12.11
24	7.54	4.52	10.41	12.41
25	7.54	4.53	11.11	1.11
26	7.54	4.54	11.41	1.41
27	7.54	4.55	12.11	2.11
28	7.54	4.56	12.41	2.41
29	7.54	4.57	1.11	3.11
30	7.54	4.58	1.41	3.41
31	7.54	4.59	2.11	4.11

Sunrise and sunset—Pacific Standard time—at Victoria, B.C.

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Butter—Nos. 8 and 9 expire date February 1.

DEPARTMENT MOVED

LONDON Jan 20 (CP—Netherlands State Department of Social Affairs has been moved from The Hague to Amsterdam, it was learned of the evacuation of coastal zones by the Dutch Nazis, a pro-Japanese assistant Allied air raids and a pre-invasion, it was reported here by Aneta News agency.

United States Marines handle anti-aircraft and secondary batteries aboard United States battleships and cruisers.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 21, 1918)

Returned Soldiers Arrive—Eighty returned soldiers, including fourteen from Victoria, arrived in Vancouver at 8 a.m. this morning on a delayed train. The returned soldiers were all convalescents and men who men all returned men were around about 6.30 o'clock, and had coffee sandwiches and cigarettes were handed out a while the names of the men were being checked off and the soldiers disembarked from the train. Many were the greetings of the returned men, most of whom were left at Vimy, though some at Lens, the Somme and some big engagements of the war.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 21, 1868)

A Narrow Escape—While passengers and freight were being taken on board the steamer Vancouver on Tuesday evening a bullet went whistling through the hat of an officer who was at the time investigating the cause of that a sealgang man, who was coming to Victoria had evidently loaded his gun, and in getting into the boat he dropped it on the truck, with the usual case of a porter, the revolver went off, with the above dated effects—nothing more.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The British Daily Colonist of January 21, 1868)

Yesuvius—The eruption of Vesuvius continues and is spoken of as a matter considerable apprehension in the villages which surround it. Recently the shocks at Torre del Greco were so violent that the population were in trembling expectation of a renewal of the disasters of 1861.

Observation Car

By G. R.

From Equivalent Editor. If I save a member of a certain municipal council in West Coast city, I should prove that the name of the Gay Hall is changed to Douglas Hall to avoid confusion with the City Hall at Vancouver and to also commemorate the founding of the city by Sir James Douglas in 1843.

... Curious, too, is the fact that Seattle Coffee, 25c per pound, pressed, 19c per pound, salad dressing, 16c per pint, lettuce, 15c to 16c for twenty; bread, 10c for twenty-four loaves, 9c per loaf, 8c per dozen; lard, 20c per pound, 2 pounds for 35c per pound; bacon, 25c per pound; pork chops, 25c per pound; veal for roasting 36c per pound, pork steaks, 35c per pound; pork roasting 36c per pound; pork steaks, 35c per pound; ham 35c per pound; pork sausage, 25c per pound; ham 35c per pound; pork sausage, 25c per pound; ham 35c per pound; pork sausage, 25

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CLEAR BREAK POSSIBILITY

Industrial Trade Group May Be Result of Shipyard Workers Dispute

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20 (CP)—Two mass meetings of rank-and-file members of the Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders' Union were scheduled for today to seek approval of action of shop stewards in walking out of the probe being conducted by the Canadian Congress of Labor into an internal dispute regarding leadership of the union.

The C.C.L. investigating committee composed of Pat Conroy and J. E. McGuire spent today interviewing officers of two other trade groups involved in the dispute.

Boilermakers were being asked to support a resolution demanding the C.C.L. probe be open to all boilermakers, that all statements made to the commissioners be subject to reply and that a report of all probe proceedings be available to shop stewards daily.

The boilermakers representatives withdrew from the probe because, shop stewards said, the commissioners failed to meet these conditions in their investigation. Conroy and McGuire did not reply to the demand for these conditions.

Malcolm McLeod, who was elected secretary-treasurer at the boilermakers disputed December elections, described the probe in its present form as a "kangaroo court."

Charles Saunders, president of the Dock and Shipyard Workers' Union, said that when he appeared before the commissioners yesterday, he refused to discuss affairs of the boilermakers' union because the latter body had no representatives present.

SUPPORT STAND

We also made it plain that we supported the stand of the boilermakers' shop stewards, and considered the inquiry should be open," Saunders said.

Spokesman for the boilermakers mentioned the possibility the present dispute may result in formation of an industrial trade group open to all shipyard crafts and not affiliated with any parent organization. These spokesmen stressed, however, that any such proposals for a complete break with the Canadian Congress of Labor would be held in abeyance until every attempt has been made for a satisfactory solution of the present impasse.

IRRIGATION IN UNITED STATES

Stored water irrigated more than 3,000,000 acres of productive land in the United States in 1941-42.

Canadian Pacific Makes Changes in Operation Staff

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—Changes in the personnel of the Canadian Pacific Railway, both on Eastern and Western lines, are announced effective today. A. A. Dunphy, superintendent at Portage Division, Winnipeg, has been appointed superintendent at Schreiber, Ont., succeeding W. E. McGill, who returns to London as superintendent, and R. E. Taylor, who has been superintendent at London since February 1, 1942, replaces Mr. Dunphy at Winnipeg. Mr. Dunphy, who was born at Fredericton, N.B., joined the Canadian Pacific as a trainman at Regina on November 20, 1912. He became general yardmaster at that point in 1915 and from 1925 was successively assistant superintendent at Bassano, Alta., Calgary and Kenora. From May 14, 1933, until the present time he has been superintendent of the Portage Division, Winnipeg.

Mr. McGill entered the service on July 21, 1900, as a brakeman at Toronto. He was made superintendent at Farnham on January 1, 1936. Before going to Schreiber on February of last year, he was superintendent of the London Division for five years.

Mr. Taylor, who joined the company as an operator on March, 30, 1912, at Guelph Junction, Ont., was inspector of transportation, Eastern Lines, for three years from April 8, 1934, to May 1, 1937, after serving many years as dispatcher and chief dispatcher at Eastern Lines Point. He was then in turn superintendent of the Trenton, Schreiber and London divisions.

R.C.A.F. Casualties

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 (CP)—In its 477th casualty list of the war, the R.C.A.F. tonight reported five men missing after air operations overseas and two killed on active service overseas. Following is the latest list of casualties:

Overseas—Killed on active service: W.O. David Rasell Roberts, Winnipeg; Sergt. William Henry Stewart, Nordegg, Alta. Died as a result of injuries sustained on active service: Sergt. Ernest Edward Fisher, Toronto.

Missing after air operations: P.O. Clarence Arthur McRoberts, North Bay, Ont.; P.O. Joseph Lloyd Mennill, Olanworth, Ont.; P.O. Stewart William Pearce, Toronto; Sergt. John Leonard Dunlop, Perth, Ont.; Sergt. Alfred Roger Juneau, Ottawa. Previously reported missing, now for official purposes presumed dead: P.O. Sydney Frank Smither, Surrey, England; Sergt. Boyd Allison Dakin, Kings County, N.S.; Sergt. James Harry Kinch, Toronto; Sergt. Alan Arthur Margrett, Montclair, N.J.; Sergt. Douglas Pearce, Parkman, Sask. Seriously ill: L.A.C. David Aird Munro, R157907, J. A. Munro (father), 4424 Seventh Street West, Vancouver.

Canada—Killed on active service: Cpl. Warren Arless Robert, Lachine, Que. Seriously injured on active service: P.O. Leslie Smith McClean, Chatham, Ont. Dangerously injured on active service: L.A.C. James Francis McCahill, Dee Why, N.S.W., Australia. Seriously ill: Cpl. E. P. Brown, Middleton, N.S.

Naval Men Home on Leave

—C.N.R. Photo.

Displaying a magnificent wavy red beard, all of which had been cultivated since he left home two years ago, Lieut. Albert Morrow, R.C.N.V.R., reached Vancouver last Sunday on the Canadian National Railways' Continental Limited. His traveling companion was Lieut. Eric Boak, R.C.N. (left), who is spending his furlough at home here. Both officers have been on loan to the Royal Navy.

FACES SERIOUS SHIP SHORTAGE

Japan's Losses in Merchant And Naval Vessels Total 445

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP)—Slashing steadily away at Japan's vital and long-extended supply lines, Allied submarines, warships and planes have destroyed at least 445 Japanese naval and merchant ships, and reports from Axis sources indicate the Nipponese are facing a serious shipping shortage.

With their conquests sprawled over more than 5,000 miles of Pacific Ocean and their ship production unequal to match the pace of their sinkings, the Japanese apparently are turning desperately to ersatz means of sea transport to alleviate their position.

Recent reports from Axis propagandists said the Japanese are striving to overcome transport shortages with the construction of large numbers of Chinese-type junks and tremendous rafts. The Berlin radio, broadcasting a Tokio dispatch, emphasized it took one to two months to build a junk, intimating that time is one factor which influenced the Japanese in favor of this type of construction.

Berlin also spread the Tokio report the Japanese have begun construction of rafts made of bamboo, with a surface area of some two and a half acres, to transport army materials and said the floats would be ready for service in February.

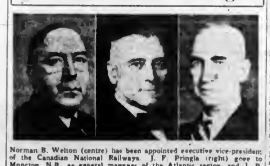
The Japanese have been hit hard by the loss of ninety-eight cruisers and destroyers, essential for convoying purposes, with their continuing operations in the "rat trap" Aleutians, Solomons and New Guinea campaigns proving exceptionally costly.

On the basis of United States army and navy announcements, the Japanese have lost fifty-seven vessels in the Solomons and fifteen in the Aleutians. A War Department spokesman said nineteen warships and eighty-six merchantmen have been destroyed in the New Guinea campaign.

Japanese losses include two battleships, six aircraft carriers, thirty-eight cruisers, sixty destroyers, twenty-nine submarines, ninety-seven transports and 148 merchantmen.

One thousand fur coats have been presented by the British rabbit skin industry to the children of Soviet Russia and at No. 10 Downing Street, in London, Mrs. Winston Churchill, wife of the Prime Minister, accepted a token coat on behalf of the Red Cross.

Railroad Makes Changes



Norman B. Walton (centre) has been appointed executive vice-president of the Canadian National Railways. J. F. Pringle (right) goes to Moncton, N.B., as general manager of the Atlantic region, and J. P. Johnson (left) succeeds him as chief of transportation for the system, with headquarters at Montreal. Mr. Walton and Mr. Johnson are both well known in Western Canada.

VISIT BOEING PLANT

SEATTLE, Jan. 20 (AP).—A delegation of British aircraft engineers, headed by Sir Roy Fedden, special adviser to the Minister of Aircraft Production in Great Britain and winner of the Guggenheim Trophy in 1934, began a several days' visit to the Boeing aircraft plants today.

VESSEL COMMANDED BY 80-YEAR-OLD CAPTAIN

LONDON, Jan. 20 (CP)—An eighty-year-old British-born San Francisco captain, George E. Bridget, commanded a new Liberty ship in a convoy which recently brought relief to Malta, it was disclosed today.

Captain Bridget, believed to be the oldest ship captain in the world, came out of fifteen years' retirement to make the run on a ship that was built in the Kaiser shipyards. Bridget began his career on an old windjammer.

With him on the ship was his grandson, now serving his apprenticeship as an engineer. Bridget was born in Nottingham, England, and became an American citizen in 1893.

ADMIRAL OF THE FLEET

LONDON, Jan. 20 (CP)—Admiral Sir Andrew Cunningham, who directed Royal and Allied navies in protecting the vast convoys employed in the United Nations' invasion of North Africa, has been promoted to the rank of admiral of the fleet, the Royal Navy's highest rank, it was announced today.

Sir Andrew was Mediterranean commander-in-chief from the early days of the war until last year, when he went to Washington to represent the navy on the combined chiefs-of-staff committee.

He was withdrawn from the Washington post to command the intricate naval operations involved in the African expedition.

MAIL AND SHIPS

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily at 1:30 p.m. for Vancouver. Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily at 3:45 p.m. from Vancouver. Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily at midnight for Vancouver. Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will arrive Victoria daily at 7 a.m. from Vancouver. Saturdays only there will be a special sailing from Victoria for Vancouver at 1:30 p.m. Saturdays only a special sailing will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver at 6:45 p.m. Sundays only there will be a special sailing from Victoria for Vancouver at 4 p.m. Sundays only a special sailing will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver at 9:45 p.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4:30 p.m. Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 12:35 p.m. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9:45 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 8:45 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria for Port Angeles daily at 9:45 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8:45 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay for Fulford Harbor daily except Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday at 8:15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood daily at 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine or Ss. Princess Victoria will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturdays and Sundays at 7:30 a.m. and 2:45 p.m. Saturdays only, leave Nanaimo at 7:30 a.m., 2:45 p.m. and 8:15 p.m. Sundays only, leave Nanaimo at 9:45 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6:30 p.m. Mondays.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Ms. Eströvida

SUBMARINES BIG MENACE

Nazis Building Underwater Craft by Prefabrication Methods Now

LONDON, Jan. 20 (AP)—In an attempt to keep the tremendous output of Allied war factories from the battlefields, Hitler was said by British naval observers today to be maintaining 300 U-boats of his fleet of perhaps 500 at sea all the time.

As the Germans gave indications of pinning their hopes more and more on an ever-increasing fleet of submarines, which many Allied leaders rate as the greatest menace to the United Nations, demands were heard in Britain for faster freighters to outrun the U-boats.

One unofficial British estimate is that Germany is building from fifteen to twenty submarines a month—faster than naval observers here believe the Allies are sinking them.

Germany now is reported to be building U-boats by prefabrication in much the same way as freighters in the United Nations. Parts are being made all over Europe, it is said, and assembled in great bomb-proof caves and concrete pens in French Bay of Biscay ports.

Most of the submarines met in the Atlantic are of the heavy ocean-going type of 1,060 tons or more with a surface speed of 18.5 knots and a better than ordinary underwater speed.

Maj. Leonard Cripps, shipowner and brother of Sir Stafford Cripps, who heads Prime Minister Churchill's anti-U-boat committee, is leading the fight for freighters with speed-up to 18 knots. He concedes such vessels take longer to build but says one 18-knotter would do the work of two nine-knotters the same size.

A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty, expressed the conviction in a London speech last week that merchantmen now being built are of the right type and said more modern planes are needed for the Fleet Air Arm. He argued it would require double the engine capacity and 60 per cent more skilled labor in making engines to add four knots to an eleven-knot ship.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised that the Middle Ground gas-lighted buoy, Nanaimo Harbor, is reported not burning. This buoy will be relighted as soon as possible.

Mariners are advised that the electric light on Brotchie Ledge beacon, entrance to Victoria Harbor, is out of commission. This light will be replaced in operation at the earliest possible date.

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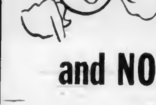

5 o'clock and NOT SO GOOD
The rush-hour traffic has begun in earnest—and yet even at this time of the day there are still some shoppers about . . . shoppers who could have been home an hour ago—now crowding on to a street car which should be for workers only. For the workers must travel at this fixed hour . . . the shoppers could have arranged to do their traveling earlier—and more comfortably—when the traffic was not so heavy. So, when you are shopping, please try to fit it in between the rush periods—BETWEEN 10 AND 4.
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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL NOTES

Members of the Stadacona Park group of First United Church W.A. entertained in honor of the eighty-seventh birthday of their senior member, Mrs. Martha Garner, yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hugh McLeod, Belmont Avenue. A corsage bouquet of carnations, freesias and violets was presented to the honored guest by the leader of the group, Mrs. J. B Munro, and a poem composed for the occasion by Dr. H. E Chatham was read by the hostess. Mrs. R. L. Cox presided at the tea table, and the other guests were Mrs H. E. Chatham, Mrs. W. T. Straith, Mrs. J D. Calvert, Mrs. A. Hourston, Mrs. J. D. McDonald, Mrs. H Norris, Miss E. More, Mrs. F. Jeune and Mrs. J. A. Heritage.

Honoring Mrs. W. E. Poupore on the occasion of her birthday on Monday, Flight Lieutenant and Mrs. Leslie Armstrong entertained at bridge at their apartment, The Bessborough, Victoria. Other guests were Squadron Leader W. E. Poupore, Squadron Leader and Mrs. Philip Cox, Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Philippe Payan, Mrs. Howie Brydon, Flight Lieutenant and Mrs. Sidney Morton, Flight Lieutenant and Mrs Allen Mitchell and Colonel Hugh Cameron.

Dr W. J. Cochrane, Corner Brook, Newfoundland, arrived in Victoria on Tuesday on a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cochrane, 616 Lindeo Avenue.

Mr. George P Melrose, Provincial Forestry Department, returned to his home in Victoria on Wednesday after ten days spent Up-Island and at Vancouver.

Sergeant Hugh A. Logan, R C A F., and Mrs. Logan, of Parry Sound, Ont., have arrived in Victoria to make their home for the next few months.

Mrs. D. H. Cameron and her daughter, Donna, have returned to Victoria after spending a few weeks with Mrs. Cameron's parents, Mr and Mrs. George Hicks, Trail, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R Drynan, Hamilton, Ont., have arrived in Victoria to spend several weeks and are guests at the Empress Hotel

F.O. and Mrs W S Brooks, Victoria, who have been visiting in Vancouver have left on a short trip to California

Mrs. Kenneth Macken, Victoria, is visiting in Vancouver with her daughter, Mrs. John MacMillan,

Miss Margaret Watson, Rockland Avenue, is the guest in Vancouver of Lieut.-Col and Mrs W. Anderson

Mrs. J. H. Hall, Vancouver, is visiting in Victoria

Mrs George Moore, of Duncan, is spending a few days in Victoria.

THE Hudson's Bay Company entertained members of the Beaver Club on Tuesday evening at a banquet at the Empress Hotel, followed by a fashion parade, showing the various styles that have been favored by the ladies of Victoria since 1843 Miss Margaret McCracken (above) charmingly modeled a white organza dress, hand-embroidered and with lace posed over three petticoats to achieve that bouffant style. This is typical of the gowns worn for garden parties in Victoria about 1890, and was graciously loaned for the occasion by the Provincial Archives The group of models (right) depicted styles worn in Victoria in the early days, and includes two gowns actually worn here in 1850 by Lady Douglas. They are the two black gowns (fifth and eighth from the left), and were kindly loaned for the pageant by Mrs. Duncan McTavish The wedding gown (sixth from the left) is more than 100 years of age and was loaned by Mrs. W. A. Dean, of Harriet Road. The young models include Misses Evelyn Simpson, Margaret Motion, Bunny Grevett, Marie Crossley, Alma Kealar Blanche Clark, Gladys Hulck, Florence Turner, Margaret McCracken and Mabel Hoffman.

—By Staff Photographer.

Red Cross Will Meet on Friday At Empress Hotel

VICTORIA City and District Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society will hold an extraordinary meeting on Friday at 2:15 o'clock in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel, to be followed by the annual general meeting A public address system will be used, enabling the reports to be heard from every part of the room.

Prime Minister's Nephew Marries

MONTREAL, Jan. 20 (CP).—Prime Minister Mackenzie King today attended the marriage of his nephew, Flt. Lt. Harry Morrison Lay, to Margaret Adela Thompson, which took place at the home of the bride's parents, with Rev. Dr. F. W. Kerr, of St. Andrew's United Church, Westmount, officiating.

Flight Lieutenant Lay is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H M Lay, of Barrie, Ont., and his bride is a daughter of the late John Munro Thompson and Mrs Thompson, of Westmount.

CANCEL CLASS

The pottery class of the Victoria Evening Classes, to have been held tonight, has been canceled.

ENGAGEMENTS

TANNER—CAVE

Mr and Mrs. W. C. Cave, 1572 Ryan Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Frances, to Mr. James Tanner, only son of Mrs. C. Tufts, and the late Mr. O. Tanner, Seattle, Wash. The wedding will take place quietly on February 8 in Victoria.

FORSYTH—WILLMOTT

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Willmott, 74 Sims Avenue, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Irene Myrtle, to Leading Seaman John William Forsyth, R.C.N.V.R., second son of Mrs. E. Forsyth, 804 East Thirty-First Avenue, Vancouver. The wedding will take place on Friday evening, January 29, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr and Mrs. E Slater, 70 Menzies Street.

Life of Debussy Topic of Address

How the early life of Claude Debussy, spent in the Bohemian atmosphere of Paris, influenced his music, was vividly portrayed by Madame E Sanderson-Mongin speaking before a meeting of the Victoria branch of the Music Teachers' Association, held yesterday morning at the Y W C A.

"Debussy," she said, "had little schooling, and experienced many difficulties with his musical studies because of his revolutionary ideas." However, his mother gave him the rudiments of an education and he was fortunate in having music masters who recognized his artistry and tolerated his strange harmonies —(for so they seemed to them).

The speaker, turning to the master's compositions, dealt with the different branches of his works, declaring he was a painter of moods "His art," she said, "is unique, intangible and elusive—one must be open minded and sympathetic towards it to understand it." His songs should never be dramatized but sung simply To really appreciate them one should be familiar with the poem to which they are set for Debussy's music so clearly depicts the mood Madame Sanderson-Mongin dwelt at some length on the composer's opera "Peleas et Melisande" which, she said, makes a clean break in operatic conditions and expresses musically as no other music could express the mood of Maeterlinck's drama

In his later years his chief joy was his little daughter, for whom he wrote many delightful pieces, amongst them being the piano suite "The Children's Corner," which contains the well-known "Golliwog's Cake Walk" she said The talk closed with the playing of his famous "Clair de Lune" by recording

Miss James, president of the Music Teachers' Association, introduced the speaker and the vote of thanks was passed by Mr Reginald Cox

A short business meeting preceded the address when Mr. Oliver Stout was appointed to the executive

Vividly Describes Visit Made by Mrs. Roosevelt

An interesting and vivid letter has been received in Victoria by Mrs C B McAlister, who is spending the Winter months at the Empress Hotel, from a friend she met in London four years ago and with whom she corresponds quite regularly.

The correspondent lives near Canterbury in a picturesque village and her letter opens with the news of the "mysterious invitation she received to be present at the village hall to meet a very distinguished visitor" The name was withheld for reasons of security, but before the morning of the chosen day, October 30 arrived almost everyone in the village guessed the visitor must be Mrs. F D. R. Roosevelt and in this surmise they were correct.

The letter states

"Mrs. Roosevelt had expressed a wish to visit a Women's Institute and 'ours' was chosen by the executive council in London, partly because of the enormous amount of jam which the members had made for the Government, and partly because a market stall of produce has been carried on without once ceasing every week by voluntary workers, for the benefit of people who have no gardens and others who are evacuated from the actual seaside towns and are still living in the village, a fact the powers-that-be think rather wonderful as the enemy is very close across the Channel"

HALL IS TRANSFORMED

When the day of the visit arrived, the hall (which is a large one for so small a village) was brilliantly lighted with arc-lamps, and photographers were busily setting up cameras and reporters were asking all sorts of questions when the writer and her friends arrived. The latter marveled to think how the visitors would have room to move about when all the local people arrived too The letter continues: "Outside the hall there was a guard of honor composed of Girl Guides and Brownies and a posse of Land Girls looking very workmanlike in their breeches and green jumpers Our visitors arrived by special train and were met at the station by members of the County Committee of Women's Institutes. A guard of honor had been mounted at our little station of American soldiers, who had come down especially for the purpose and they stayed by the train till Mrs. Roosevelt, who was accompanied by Mrs. Churchill, and others in the party went on to Dover"

A BRAVE SHOW

The distinguished visitors made a tour of the stalls on which were set out exhibits of all the activities of the institute. "The village made a brave show—only 660 inhabitants all told," the letter reads "One of the most interesting displays was of woolen garments made from wool gathered from the hedgerows with a woman actually spinning the wool on a spindle, and an exhibit of gloves and other leather articles made from home-cured and dressed rabbit and sheep skins. Other stalls displayed garments for prisoners of war adopted by the institute and seaboot stockings for men of the merchant navy Toys for little evacuees from Gibraltar and the Channel Islands occupied another stall with displays of home cooking and so on The rabbit club and poultry keepers showed prize animals, and a miniature sty containing a live baby pig named 'Franklin' (much to Mrs. Roosevelt's amusement) represented the village pig club

"The kitchen was open to visitors where the women who had made the jam were seen at work making jam or canning while others were labeling On the platform, where the latter women were working were arranged rows and rows of jams and jellies and canned tomatoes

"Both Mrs. Roosevelt and Mrs Churchill greatly admired the clearness and beautiful color of the former All were most surprised at the amount of work accomplished by voluntary labor to help the country's rationing The visit passed without any untoward incidents although the authorities took no risks. Planes flew overhead all the time and guns were mounted near the hall itself"

BAD AIR RAIDS

The day following the visit the writer states, "We had three bad air raids one in the afternoon, one about 8 at night and the last one started soon after midnight and kept us up until 4 o'clock Poor Canterbury got it badly! The bombing was really terrible and the house shook terribly as each bomb fell The lights went out, but luckily were repaired about 11 at night and we were able to hear news of our raid on the midnight broadcast" Later, she states, "we could hear our planes fighting the enemy ones, apparently just over us, and we think this must have been the case as next day there was a bad thunderstorm and torrential rains and we found numerous leakages coming in from the roof When we managed to get a man to repair the damage he said he thought it had been done by bullets from machine guns or shrapnel

"It is sad to see the damage in Canterbury," she declares, "but in spite of it all, the people are wonderfully brave and are carrying on in any small corner they can find, and the shops which escaped are giving hospitality to others who have lost all."

Junior V.O.N Looks Back On Year's Activity

Junior Victorian Order of Nurses held the annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Stanley Haynes, Monterey Avenue Special guests were Mrs. R. B. Horton, president of the senior board; Miss A. Creasor, superintendent of nurses, and Miss Empey, of the nursing staff

In her address, Mrs. Horton expressed the appreciation of the V.O.N. for the help and financial assistance given by the juniors in the past year and wished them every success in 1943 The secretary's report showed that the regular activities of the club were carried on during the year. Two girls assisted each week at the baby clinic Miss Creasor reported an increase in attendance at the clinic from 711 in 1940 to 1,531 in 1942. Members attended a series of Red Cross home nursing lectures under the tuition of the nurses of the V.O.N

The dog show sponsored in February for the Victoria City Kennel Club was reported a great success and resulted in a net profit of $221 It was decided to hold the dog show this year on Wednesday, February 17, at the Crystal Garden. Mrs N E. Impett was named general convener, with Mrs. J. D. Milne in charge of tickets, and Mrs. E. S Williams in charge of refreshments

Volunteers helped at the seniors' rummage sale in November, and also with the packing and distributing of thirty hampers at Christmas The club also donated $30 to the hamper fund.

Two Victory Bonds were purchased at a cost of $150; also ten uniforms for the new clinic, new nursing equipment and an extra section for the filing cabinet at the V.O.N office.

A satisfactory number of garments was completed and handed in to the V.O.N for distribution. Miss Creasor reported a good supply on hand "It was decided to do more sewing for layettes as there is an increasing difficulty in obtaining wool.

The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand at December 31 of $160

Election of officers for 1943 concluded the meeting The following members form the new executive President, Mrs Stanley Haynes, vice-president, Miss Cynthia Yarrow secretary Mrs E B Williams; treasurer, Mrs. Goldwyn Terry; knitting Miss Marianne Fraser; sewing Mrs N E Impett

The next meeting will be held February 16 at the home of Mrs J. D Milne, 887 Falkland Road.

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P.-T. A.

BRENTWOOD

Members of Brentwood P.-T.A will meet in the West Saanich School this evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs C. Cruickshank will conduct the study group.

It may be that the war will bring about elimination of the period in abbreviations Anyway, that is a step suggested as a way of saving paper at London's "Paper in Battledress" exhibition. Dropping of periods in such abbreviations as OHMS, WAAF and RAF is designed to save much labor, paper and ink

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Weddings

BASSETT—MOLLOY

At St. Andrew's Cathedral on January 16, Monsignor Baker solemnized the marriage of Doreen Mary, daughter of Mrs. A. E. Molloy, 579 Southgate Street, and the late Captain J. Molloy, and Mr. Richard Arthur Bassett, son of the late Mr and Mrs R. A. Bassett, Saskatoon, Sask

KAMIS—SULLIVAN

The marriage between Beatrice Gertrude, youngest daughter of Mrs J Sullivan, 525 Selkirk Avenue, and the late Mr Sullivan, and AB Wilfred Ralph Kamis, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr and Mrs. A Kamis, Calgary, Alta., was solemnized by Rev. Father J A Gaudette in the Bishop's House on Wednesday evening The bride was given away by her brother, Mr Keith Sullivan and wore a gown of white slipper satin with a train and long pointed sleeves. Her veil billowed to the hem of the dress from a halo with orange blossom each side and Calla lilies composed the bridal bouquet The bride was attended by her sisters, Mrs O French, in a frock of pink net with short puff sleeves, who carried a bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums, and Miss Vera Sullivan in yellow organza with mauve chrysanthemums. Their chapel veils matched their frocks. A.B. William Simpson, R.C.N.V.R. was groomsman. At a largely attended reception at her home, Mrs. Sullivan was assisted in welcoming the guests by her daughter, Mrs. W Arden The supper table was covered with a beautiful hand-crocheted cloth made by Mrs. Arden and flanking the cake were vases of daffodils and lighted white tapers. For a honeymoon in the Interior of British Columbia, the bride left in a teal blue dress with a sealskin coat, black accessories and a corsage bouquet of gardenias. Able Seaman and Mrs. Kamis will return to Victoria to live

FAIRALL—BAXTER

Courtenay, V.I., will be the home of Petty Officer and Mrs. Charles Fairall, whose wedding was solemnized by Rev. Father J A Gaudette in the Bishop's House at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening The bride, formerly Miss Mary Baxter, is the daughter of Mrs. L. Shickele, Winnipeg and the late Captain H N Baxter Royal Welsh Fusiliers, and the bridegroom, P.O. Charles Fairall, R.C.N.V.R., is the only son of Mr and Mrs C Fairall, 835 Esquimalt Road Mr Adrien Regimbal gave the bride in marriage and she wore a Queen's blue silk crepe afternoon frock with maroon accessories and a corsage bouquet of white orchids and freesias The bridesmaid, Miss Marguerite Anderegg, was dressed in salmon pink with brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of gardenias and freesias Mr James Foster was groomsman At a small reception in Terry's rose room, the guests were welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Fairall, assisted by Mr and Mrs. C. Anderegg and Mr R. O. Henderson an old friend of the bride's family. Baskets of gold-toned chrysanthemums were arranged in the room, and vases of pink and white carnations and white tapers adorned the supper table Before leaving for a honeymoon on the Mainland, the bride donned a maroon Glenthistle coat over her wedding outfit.

Suzanne Aller Re-elected Head Of Zelotes Club

Zelotes Club held the annual meeting last night at 301 Union Building, when Miss Suzanne Aller was unanimously re-elected president for the ensuing year. Others elected were: Vice-president, Miss Anne Adamson; corresponding secretary, Miss Frances Patterson recording secretary, Miss Muriel Armstrong, treasurer, Miss May Smith, social convener, Miss Margaret McMartin; finance convener, Mrs. Sylvia Lyons, programme convener, Miss Alice McKenzie; membership convener Miss Joyce Whitehead; publicity convener, Miss Isabel Jewell; refreshment convener, Miss Pat Rossiter.

Plans were made for International Night which will be celebrated February 24 The annual dinner will take place next Wednesday at Terry's Rose Room at 7 o'clock, when the guest speaker will be Mrs Harold A. Beckwith.

VICTORIA

A court whist party convened by Mrs. George Bowers, assisted by Mrs. Alexander Mrs. O. Brown and Mrs Nelson Brown, will be held in the Institute Rooms, 635 Fort Street, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock

Queen Sends Thanks For Donations to Mrs. Churchill Fund

The following letter from the lady-in-waiting to Her Majesty was received by Mrs. Arthur Grenfell, past president of the British Y.W.C.A., and will be of interest to members and friends, alike of the Y.W.C.A.

"Dear Mrs Grenfell,—The Queen commands me to say with what pleasure Her Majesty has read your letter giving the result of the appeal you started in person in Canada a year ago for the wartime needs of women in the services, known as the Mrs. Winston Churchill Fund, here in Great Britain.

"The list of donations you enclosed from individuals and from cities and towns in all parts of that Dominion, of which the Queen has such happy memories, has touched her deeply; and Her Majesty would be glad if some expression of her gratitude could be conveyed to the Canadian donors for this generous response to the needs of British service women.

"The Queen, as patron of the Y.W.C.A., knows at first hand both of these needs, and of the efforts which the association is making to meet them, and Her Majesty's appreciation is, therefore all the more heartfelt

"Yours sincerely,
(Signed) "MARION HYDE
"Lady-in-Waiting"

EARLY CORVETTES

British corvettes in the eighteenth century were miniature frigates designed to protect the larger ships of the line.

RED CROSS

QUALICUM UNIT

The Qualicum Beach Unit of the Red Cross Association held its annual meeting recently and the election of officers. The year's work was reviewed and showed very good progress and results. It was reported that out of the great number of articles shipped by the unit only one had been returned for a minor defect The election of officers resulted as follows President, Mrs. F Gillan, secretary, Mrs W Gibson Mrs. C. H Jarvis was again reelected as work convener of the unit The retiring officers were thanked for their services of the past year

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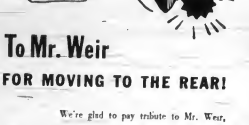

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CLUB ACTIVITIES

W.A. to R.C.N.

Mrs. Massey Goolden was re-elected president of the Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Canadian Navy at the annual meeting held recently at the Y.W.C.A. Other officers for 1943 follow: Honorary president, Mrs. R. Beech; first vice-president, Mrs. F. G. Hart; second vice-president, Mrs. P. L. Houghton; secretary, Mrs. G. T. Storey; treasurer, Mrs. R. P. Ponder; wool convener, Mrs. R. P. Kingscote; executive, Mrs. G. Hull, Mrs Morse-Rosser, Mrs. W Adams and Mrs R. Sadd; convener of hospital visiting, Mrs. L. Williams. The reading of the annual reports revealed an active year for the auxiliary, some of the highlights being: 1,300 articles knitted and sent to Lieut.-Commander W. E. Adamson for distribution; 3,508 books issued from the Naval Library since its inauguration last May, and 128 patients visited at the hospitals since September. The president commended the auxiliary on the amount of work accomplished and expressed the hope that the coming year would be one of even greater effort.

United Church W.A.

Mrs. J. B. Bell presided at the meeting of the Women's Association of the Shawnigan Lake United Church, held at the home of Mrs. H. Ross. Appreciation was expressed to Mr. R. Ross and Mr Richards for their kindness in cutting down brush in front of the church. It was decided to hold the annual Spring remnant sale, and the secretary was instructed to write for remnants. Mrs J. A. Whan and Mrs E. G. Gibson were retained on the visiting committee for another month. The annual meeting followed, with the presentation of annual reports. There being a poor attendance at the meeting owing to weather conditions, the election of officers was postponed till next month. The meeting opened with prayer and a Scriptural roll call, and closed with the Mizpah Benediction. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Centennial United L.G.

The Ladies' Guild of Centennial United Church met at the home of the president, Mrs. W McCague, 2808 Graham Street, on Tuesday afternoon with a full attendance of members and a number of friends present. A report of the work accomplished during 1942 was read by the secretary, Mrs. J Jeffery, and the financial statement revealed that a good balance will be turned over to the church board. The guild members have started a fund to purchase a new carpet for the church. Plans for a Valentine tea to be held on February 12 were also discussed. Mrs. J. Cox closed the meeting with prayer. The hostess served dainty refreshments from a tea table covered by a lace cloth and centred with pink chrysanthemums. Mrs M McIvor, Mrs E McCuaig and Mrs N Bent assisted in serving.

King's Daughters

At the dinner meeting of the L. H Hardie Circle King's Daughters, held recently in Terry's private dining-room, Miss Lucille Mackay was elected president and Miss Doris Walker secretary-treasurer of the group. It was reported that a doll's crib complete with bedding and doll had been donated to a child at the orphanage at Christmastime. The Salvation Army had been given an afghan made by the members for use at the Three Services Canteen. Plans were discussed for making another quilt. Funds for carrying on the work of the circle will be raised by talent money.

Esquimalt W.M.S.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Esquimalt United Church met recently at the home of Mrs. J. Hood, Grafton Street. Mrs E King, the president, was in the chair, and Mr. W. G. Brown reviewed the second chapter of the study book. Rev J Hood installed the officers. Mrs P. D. Pready and Mrs G L. Gillard were appointed delegates to the Presbyterial rally. The next meeting will be held on February 15 at the home of Mrs. Gillard, 1114 Munro Street, when plans for the coming year will be made.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian W.M.S.

Mrs. F. R. Moore presided at the meeting of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian W.M.S. held recently in the lecture room of the church. Mrs. G. Gordiner and Mrs. A. G. Wilson conducted the devotional, and an interesting paper on the French people in Canada was given by Mrs. McQueen. Routine business was transacted and the meeting closed with prayer.

St. Luke's W.A.

The meeting to have been held today by members of St. Luke's Women's Auxiliary has been postponed until January 28 at 2:30 o'clock in the parish hall. The guest speaker will be Mrs. J. A. Andrews.

Solarium W.A.

The W.A. to the Solarium meeting planned for today has been postponed until next Thursday, when it will be held in the Pemberton Building.

King's Daughters (District)

The annual district meeting of the King's Daughters will be held on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the rooms, Jones Building.

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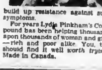

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STAFF-SGT PHYLLIS SMITH, C.W.A.C.

Staff Sergeant Phyllis Smith, C.W.A.C., gave a comprehensive and illuminating address on Tuesday evening at Memorial Hall before members of the Canadian Red Cross Corps, dealing with recruiting of women for the C.W.A.C.

"A girl who joins the C.W.A.C. joins up to relieve a category 'A' man," said Staff Sergeant Smith, who spoke of her work as the "most worthwhile thing we have ever been given the opportunity to do."

The speaker stated the corps needs another 2,000 girls from British Columbia, and another 10,000 from all of Canada. She said there is a vocational training school in Victoria, where girls in the army may take courses in those subjects for which they are best suited. "Girls attending these classes have no other duties than regular routine duties," Sergeant Smith added.

BASIC TRAINING

After dealing with the possibilities of promotion, Sergeant Smith spoke of the basic training at Vermilion Camp for one month. This includes first aid, gas, respirator drill, administrative lectures and many others; also how to take care of her uniform. Sergeant Smith pointed out that it is not a combative unit, there is no heavy drill; that girls are sent anywhere in the world and it is found out at basic training what a girl is suited for. Advanced classes, according to Sergeant Smith, include N.C.O. courses, and secret service work.

Categories are A, "B" and "C-1," Sergeant Smith continued. "Many women have wished to join, but certain defects have prevented them from doing so, although they could do good work in certain jobs. Category "C-1" now permits a person to serve who has certain defects, such as sight in only one eye, deafness in one ear. A man in the army must have good sight in his right eye, for a woman it does not matter which eye it is. The height and weight regulations have been made more elastic; a heavier or shorter woman may now join than formerly," she said.

All clothes are provided, according to Sergeant Smith, who said the pay was 90 cents a day. There is $15 allowance for underwear and two Winter and two Summer uniforms are issued. Twelve dollars a year is allowed for shoes, after $15 has been issued for necessaries. The very best medical and dental care is given the recruits, stated Sergeant Smith, who said "it is equivalent to a job at from $80 to $90 a month."

Girl Guide Notes

CHEMAINUS

Chemainus Girl Guide committee held the annual meeting in the Chemainus School recently, Mrs. G. E. Saunders presiding.

Arrangements were made to send for captain's warrant for Miss B. L. Murchie, who has been in charge of the company since August. Secretary also authorized to forward 5 per cent of receipts to headquarters. The year's reports were given by Mrs. B Dumont, Brown Owl, and by Patrol Leaders Maxine Elliott, Peggy Roy, Francis Millard and Betty Erickson, and by Miss B. L. Murchie, and Mrs. F. Elliott, equipment secretary.

Mrs. G. E. Saunders thanked the officers and girls for their reports, and in summing up the highlights of the year noted that each month brought forth something of special interest. In February, the visit of the local Guides to Fairbridge Farm School Guide Company. March, quilts for Red Cross. May, enrollment exercises; June, return visit from Fairbridge Guides and Brownies, and, during May and June the completion of an entire shipment of bandages for the Red Cross rooms here. July, the Summer camp. August, some of the Guides assisted with Red Cross fruit and errands; September, warrant received for the Brown Owl, and Miss Murchie welcomed as acting captain; October the Hallow'een party, and the completion of two quilts for the Red Cross; November, the enrolment and the packing by each patrol of parcel of foods and candy for nursery homes in England, and Armistice parade. December, sewing meetings and eighteen stuffed animals, two quilts and one wool afghan turned over by the Guides to the Red Cross.

Mrs. G. Lomas, district commissioner, who attended the meeting, complimented the Guides and the committee on the splendid showing made during the year, and thanked them for their co-operation in war efforts.

With Mrs Lomas presiding, 1943 officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. F. Elliott; vice-president, Mrs. M Howarth; secretary, Mrs. G. E. Saunders; treasurer and equipment secretary Mrs. E. Roy, who will also act as Red Cross and sewing convener. January hospital mending is the responsibility of the Guide association, and Mrs. Roy will be assisted by Mrs. F. Elliott.

PLUMBING TRADE AIDS WAR EFFORT

Local Representatives of Industry Urged to Assist Postwar Reconstruction

The place of the plumbing and heating industry in the nation's war effort and postwar reconstruction was the subject of an address given last night before local members of the trade by Roy E. Belyea, Toronto, president of the National Association of Master Plumbers and Heating Contractors of Canada.

The association was set up at the request of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Mr. Belyea said, and has aided the board through its surveys and its direction of the industry in regard to saving of labor and curtailment of supplies.

Surveys have been made on conversion from oil to coal, simplification of minimum requirements and standardization of equipment, he reported.

Mr. Belyea urged the trade to complete organization in the province in preparation for the postwar period, emphasizing its present part in the war effort and pointing to the necessity of eliminating wasteful and unethical trade practices of the present. He also presented a brief for the meeting's endorsation.

As part of his tour through Canada in the association's interests, Mr Belyea will meet leading manufacturers and wholesalers today. He will leave the city tonight.

Officers Elected

The Qualicum Beach Branch, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., held its annual meeting and election of officers on Monday evening. Correspondence included numerous letters of thanks from the men serving in the forces who had received their Christmas gifts and usual cigarettes.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, W. H. Gibson; first vice-president, H. J. Welch; second vice-president, J. C. Bailey; sergeant-at-arms, D. Waldie; executive committee, C. H. Jarvis, E. Sanders and J. V. Wilkinson. The secretary, H. Coombs, was reappointed by the executive.

It was decided to hold some form of entertainment in a few days for the benefit of the Aid to Russia Fund. The annual reports showed a satisfactory standing. The retiring president and officers were given a hearty vote of thanks for their year's work.

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What Today Means

"AQUARIUS"

If January 21 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date will be from 10.15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., from 2.15 to 4.15 p.m. and from 8:15 to 10 15 p.m. The danger periods will be from 8 15 to 10.15 a.m., from 6 15 to 8.15 p.m. and from 10.15 until midnight.

Your faith in firmly fixed convictions may be more than justified by numerous unquestionable demonstrations. Diligence and truthfulness will be the mediums through which the best results will be obtained and peaceful business relationships retained. Take nothing for granted on January 21 involving an outlay of cash. This is a psychological time to remember that it is not right to place temptation in the way of the weak. Individual characteristics are apt to be unusually pronounced on this date, so do whatever you can to suppress all disagreeable ones that you are conscious of possessing. The average person may display marked adaptability that will enable him to take a step in the right direction to advance his interests. Married and engaged couples, and those who are absorbed with thoughts of love will do well to realize that there are times when even "the applause of a single human being is of great consequence"—this may prove especially true on January 21.

If you are a woman and January 21 is your birthday you may, on some occasions, express yourself in a way that will create the wrong impression unless those present know you intimately. Your general extravagance may come from an inordinate fondness for fine clothes, so keep this liking under control. As a radio entertainer, actress, teacher, writer modiste, singer, artist, sales manager, literary agent, publicity woman, doctor, lawyer, or working for the government or as a result of an active interest in civic affairs, you may find yourself regarded as quite an important person. Favorable matrimonial conditions appear to prevail for those born under Aquarius, if nuptial obligations are observed strictly.

The child born on January 21 must not be permitted to indulge in temperamental outbursts if he is not to develop a disagreeable trait. Enthusiasm and tenaciousness are apt to be reflected in this youngster's activities, and they will be responsible for many outstanding achievements.

If you are a man and January 21 is your natal day for readiness to lend others a helping hand will result in many persons becoming keenly interested in your future success. As an educator, promoter, publicity expert, jurist, physician, dentist, politician, manufacturer, engineer, chemist, scientist, sales agent or doing your part to rout the enemy, you may find yourself in the spotlight of favorable publicity.

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EARL TO MARRY

LONDON, Jan 20 (CP)—The Earl of Kenmare, well known as a newspaper columnist, has announced his engagement to Enid Viscountess Furness. Lady Furness is the widow of the first Viscount Furness who died in 1940. This will be her fourth marriage. Lord Kenmare's divorced wife, Viscountess Castlerosse, died last December 12.

GERMAN BONDS WORTHLESS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—Holders of several hundred million dollars worth of German international bonds were assured today the United States Government considers them worthless. This is not entirely bad news, because if the Government did not recognize the worthlessness, holders could not deduct the loss in figuring income taxes.

MEXICO'S STATES

There are twenty-eight states in Mexico.

CONCERT HAS FINE RECEPTION

Musical Art Society Delights Audience With Varied Programme

A very congenial chamber-music atmosphere characterized the January concert of the Victoria Musical Art Society, held last night at the Empress Hotel, when the featured artists were David Gildham, baritone, John Beckwith, pianist from the Intermediate Group, and the Aeolian Piano Quartette.

The friendly attitude of the audience heightened the intimate family feeling and inspired all participants to give of their best, with the result that the programme worked steadily toward a climax which found everyone in enthusiastic mood. Actually, the final laurels went to David Gildham, who closed the concert on a rollicking note with a group of lusty sea songs. These discovered not only the full power of his fine voice, which has both range and resonance, but unsuspected histrionic abilities. His characterizations in four songs of stern "he-man" material revealed versatility of style and interpretation, a lively sense of humor and good command of his instrument. "Blow Me Eyes" (Malotte), with its well-reserved climax. Wolfe's "Sailorman" maudlin with sleep and simple philosophy. "I Got Plenty o' Nuttin'" (Gershwin) delivered with good strong rhythm and accent; Deems Taylor's "Captain Stratton's Fancy," and for encore, "Floral Dance."

LOVELY NUMBERS

The baritone contributed two other groups in the course of the evening; first, a classical group, the loveliest numbers in which were Schubert's "Omnipotence," which he kept moving toward a fine climax; Grieg's "A Dream" and later a group of moderns, the great favorite in which was Goring-Thomas' "A Summer Night," sung as pure romantic sentiment. In the same group were Michael Head's "Sea Gypsy" and "None but the Lonely Heart." Mr. Edgar Holloway did artistic work as accompanist.

AEOLIAN QUARTETTE

The Aeolian Quartette made an excellent impression on the occasion of its premiere appearance before the club. Here is a group of serious young students already doing good ensemble work. In the playing of the Mozart Quartette in G Minor they showed confidence and security of technique, with good intonation, clean-cut phrasing and excellent balance and discrimination at all times. The opening allegro, vigorously played, demonstrated at once complete familiarity with the music; the andante movement brought out some very pleasing legato effects and a leisurely relaxation of mood, and the closing rondo had the desired lightness, brightness and deftness of technique to make it sound completely spontaneous. Julia Kent Jones played the violin, Rita Nevard the 'cello, Gilbert Margison the viola and Edgar Holloway substituted for the pianist, Frank Moore, who is now in the armed forces.

OPENING HONOR

To John Beckwith, a consistently active member of the Intermediate Musical Group, and an ardent student who has frequently appeared in programmes by the younger musicians of the city, was delegated the honor of opening the evening's programme. He showed excellent musicianship in his three numbers—first the Bach-Foss chorale, "See What His Love Can Do," the immediately following Schumann "Soaring," and the Schumann number which he added as an encore, these particularly serving to reveal his full, warm tone and expensive style.

TESTIFIES TIME TICKETS WRONG

Accountant Charges Names Duplicated in Records of Engine Works And Trading Corporation

MONTREAL, Jan 20 (CP)—Samuel Buchanan, field cost accountant for Sorel Industries Limited, testified in the Court of King's Bench Tuesday that he found "evidence of duplication of charges" while checking over the books of Engine Works & Trading Incorporated, last May.

Mr Buchanan gave the testimony at the trial of four men charged with conspiring to defraud the Federal Government and three companies of $200,000 in connection with war sub-contracts for the Munitions Department. The men are Patrick Lynn, president and general manager of Engine Works & Trading, his son, Donald, production manager; Patrick Noonan, paymaster, and Daniel Taugher, clerk.

Duplication of time tickets for men was found, Mr Buchanan said, while the books were being checked for Sorel Industries, one of the companies the men are alleged to have tried to defraud. The time shown on the cards, he said, was in excess of the time shown for the men in the time books.

"We became aware of the duplication of cards which would pyramid costs, after checking about ten boxes of buff cards which were copied off the original time sheets." Original time sheets, he said, were destroyed.

Mr Buchanan said that the payroll of January 27 contained the names of twenty-one men listed as boat mechanics. They drew an average of $1.13 an hour, compared with seventy-three cents for others on the day shift and seventy-seven cents an hour for those on the night shift.

The witness said he questioned what boat mechanics could be doing when the harbor was closed. "Mr Lynch told us that the Ministry of Shipping had told him to keep the boat workers on because he would need them the following Spring."

The week after January 27, he said, the names of the twenty-one were dropped from the payroll. Then February 3 the payroll contained the names of twenty-one other men with pay rates similar to those paid the boat mechanics.

Panama is the youngest of the New World republics.

Eddy—torial

We're not going to take any chances of saying anything about Spring being here—we all know that Victoria's balmy weather had rather a set-back lately, and we don't know just what may be on tap in the way of weather by the time you read this Eddy-torial. All we DO want to say is that whatever the weather EDDY IS READY, as usual. If you could see the size and number of the great packing cases that have been arriving lately at our receiving room, and if you could hear the exclamations of delighted surprise as the girls unpacked them, you'd know that we did some tall foresighted planning for Spring long before it arrived. Frankly we've fairly surprised ourselves and we KNOW we're going to surprise YOU. Come on in and see "what's cooking" and if any more of these huge packing cases arrive while you are in the store you're welcome to join in the fun and have a pre-peek, even before the lovely Dresses, Coats and Suits are hung up for general exhibition. And you fond Mothers, Grandmothers and Aunties will be glad to hear that we haven't forgotten new "Cuddle Clothes" and "Eddykins" for the Tiny Tots. Yes, once again Eddy is Ready.

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SCOUT NEWS

THIRD VICTORIA GROUP

The group committee of the Third Victoria Scout Group met recently and received the annual reports presented by the secretary-treasurer and the Scoutmaster. The treasurer stated the recent turkey drive realized a net profit of $42.20 which was voted to pay off current debts and to purchase equipment needed by the Cub pack. The winners were Mrs. Hore and Mr Carley. It was decided that the annual meeting of this group will be held at Boy Scout headquarters, 1034 Johnson Street, on February 8 at 8 p.m., immediately following the Scout meeting.

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The Royal Bank of Canada 74th Annual Meeting

Morris W. Wilson, President and Managing Director, urges post-war planning on basis of free enterprise—Only system likely to appeal to self-reliant young Canadians.

Sydney G. Dobson, Vice-President and General Manager, reports assets over $1,291,000,000—Liquid position exceedingly strong—War adds heavily to routine duties of banks.

The intent and ability of the free enterprise system to meet the challenge of the post-war world was the keynote of an address by Morris W. Wilson, President and Managing Director of The Royal Bank of Canada at the bank's 74th Annual Meeting.

"Assuming intelligent co-operation on the part of government," said Mr. Wilson, "free enterprise, which has already provided for the people who live under it the greatest degree of comfort and security in the world's history, can meet the challenge of the post-war world. It can, by accepting further social responsibility, save the people from the evils that accompany state control—obliteration of private life, destruction of personal freedom, elimination of individual incentive, and the extinction of those extra gains which fairly go to those who work specially hard.

"Free enterprise, with its wealth of experience, established position, and wide resources, is the only system known to us under which the job can be done. The prophet who now foretells that our whole system will be swept away in favour of some economic heaven and earth as yet unformed, is not only misguided but dangerous. He is dangerous because his preachings interfere with confident concentration on the war effort, and they are menacing to the practical solution of the problems of peace.

"Changes must take account of realities rather than theories. When this war is won, the soldier will wish to get back to his everyday life; the farmer will still want to own his farm; the small house-owner will desire to retain his ownership; the retailer, the wholesaler, and the manufacturer will be found as anxious as ever to carry on their own branches of our free enterprise; and the three million thrifty holders of their country's bonds will still look for, and be entitled to, their interest earnings.

"The idea of profit, which is merely payment for work and initiative, is deep-rooted in human nature, and after the war it will still motivate individuals and corporate bodies. In progressive countries, development is constant. As to sudden, revolutionary change which would uproot the economic system, upset the mode of life and disperse the savings, investments and insurance of the people of this nation, I think the proposition needs only to be stated to reveal its folly. At the same time, it is dangerous to allow its propaganda to go on unanswered."

BENEFITS OF FREE ENTERPRISE

Mr. Wilson said he did not ridicule the views of anyone upon the sole ground that he was a socialist or demagogue.

"The weakness, however, of those who theorise about post-war economy," he said, "often lies in their lack of practical experience of business and their disregard of the widespread, undeniable diffusion of the benefits of free enterprise in the form of rising standards of living. This experience and these facts are readily available. Business should assemble and analyse them, and present to the public their irresistible conclusions, showing the true intent and ability of the system of free enterprise to do the things that need to be done. That is the only real way to carry the judgment of the people.

"There are plenty of hard-headed people in Canada who, for instance, have money in the bank; there are more than five million deposit accounts, totalling more than $3,300 million. Your bank alone has substantially over one million deposit accounts. There are more than three million Canadians holding their country's Victory Bonds, War Savings Certificates or other government obligations. There are more than four million individual holders of life insurance policies in Canada. These are the people who, alert to their own well-being, will tell the theorists and agitators what changes are acceptable in the mode of life which, with all the faults it may possess, has produced these savings and these bulwarks of personal and family security. These are the people who must be considered by those who seek to influence the course of events."

Mr. Wilson readily acknowledged that the system of free enterprise—in fact the whole economic system and our institutions of free Government were the results of evolution and expressed the conviction that some of the changes which had been brought about by the war would remain. "There must and will be development particularly in the realm of maximum employment and freedom from want. The ordinary people of the world will look to some agency at the war's close to avert mass unemployment. No pretentious plans for pensions, nor all the social security measures devised by Governments will be effective without a solution of the employment problem," he said.

COLLECTION OF TAXES

Referring to the present method of collecting personal income taxes, Mr. Wilson expressed the opinion that the present eight months' lag in payments created a most serious difficulty so far as the individual taxpayer was concerned and could not be in the best interests of the country. He pointed out that at present the taxpayer was always eight months in arrears in his payments and that this extra tax liability could, under certain circumstances, become a very serious burden. He felt that a cancellation of taxes for the eight months involved would not necessarily result in any diminution of revenue to the State. It would only become necessary to retain the higher scale of taxation for a somewhat longer period, and at all times the Government would then be collecting its taxes from current earnings and not on earnings of the preceding year. Mr. Wilson hoped that the Government would respond favorably to the many representations that were being made to it on this subject.

GENERAL MANAGER'S ADDRESS

In presenting the financial statement, Mr. Sydney G. Dobson, Vice-President and General Manager, noted that the present high tempo of business activity due to war was clearly reflected in the bank's balance sheet and that under a number of headings record levels had been attained. Despite steady expansion in the bank's business, profits had been reduced, due in part to relatively low yields on the bank's heavy investments in government bonds and to increased taxes.

Because of the decrease in net income, the bank had found it necessary to reduce the dividend rate of 8% to 6%. In this connection Mr. Dobson noted that during the past 12 years bank shareholders had had their dividends reduced more drastically than those in most other lines of business and that on the basis of today's dividend, the return is only 3.27% on the average cost of the shares to the public over a period of years.

"Total assets are now $1,291,615,946, an all-time high in the history of the bank and an increase during the year of $218,496,185," said Mr. Dobson. "Our liquid position is naturally very strong, total liquid assets of $906,440,239 representing 75.44% of our total liability to the public."

Mr. Dobson also noted that deposits totalling $1,181,217,192 had increased by over $225,000,000. Of the total $929,039,940 were in Canada.

COMMERCIAL LOANS

"Commercial loans in Canada expanded during the year $13,365,555, and are now $255,149,401. Included in this amount are temporary loans of $42,971,183 to assist purchasers of Victory Bonds. As there was but a small total of such loans current at the end of the previous year, it will be seen that ordinary commercial loans are considerably lower as compared with a year ago. Considering the tremendous expansion in business activity throughout Canada the situation is anomalous, but the explanation is that the expansion is largely in connection with war work. This is either financed directly by the Government or, because of prompt settlement for monthly or fortnightly accounts, the manufacturer is able to finance without any, or at any rate with very moderate, assistance. There has never been a period in the history of this bank—and I may say a similar situation applies to the other banks—when the ratio of commercial loans to deposits has been so low. The outlook in this respect is not encouraging, as unfortunately the tendency seems to be for the Government to extend its policy of directly financing industry engaged in war work."

The General Manager reported that, in conformity with the Government's wish to conserve manpower, the bank had closed 30 offices. This, he said, did not mean lessening of business for the bank but rather a consolidation. It did, however, represent an inconvenience to some of the bank's customers but he felt that they would appreciate that the exigencies of war necessitated such steps.

MANY OF STAFF IN UNIFORM

"During the war period our staff in Canada has increased from 5,165 to 8,049, the new members being almost all young women. Our male staff is now reduced to 38 per cent of the total and it is not uncommon to find that at a branch with 15 to 20 employees there are only 4 or 5 men. I cannot speak too highly of the manner in which these new members of our staff, many without any previous business experience, have carried on their duties, often under difficult conditions. Routine work has increased as a result of war activity. The handling of Victory Loan applications and the negotiation of coupons alone entail a great deal of additional work and the volume of cheques in circulation has grown considerably. Many of the young women recently engaged are called upon to assume responsibilities which under normal conditions would be performed by experienced men. This means that the senior officers, in addition to looking after their own duties, must devote much time to supervision and training.

"We are proud of the contribution made by our staff to the armed services. Since the outbreak of war we have granted leave of absence for military service to 1,876 men. Of this number, 1,792 enlisted from Canadian branches and this is equivalent to well over half of the male staff under 45 years of age at the outbreak of war. I am sure I am voicing the feeling of the shareholders when I say that we wish a safe return to these men who are serving their country so patriotically.

"Unhappily there have been casualties. Thirty-four of our young men, whose names are recorded in the printed proceedings of this meeting, have given their lives in the service of Canada. These names are held in honor, and we pay tribute to their memory."

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Downward Slant Has Prices Mixed On Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP).—A late rally led by steels left stock market prices mixed today after a downward slant had been followed most of the session by leading issues.

Early losses were wiped out by a sizable group of equities which managed to move into the plus column at the close. Gains ranged to more than a point. The Associated Press average of sixty stocks rebounded to close unchanged at 42.3.

Developments affecting individual issues were active forces governing price movements most of the day, however, and declines were well scattered throughout the list.

Left vulnerable by Tuesday's technical correction, stocks sagged under light offerings and investors held off most of the day. The tape idled at intervals until, a few minutes before the finish, buyers stepped in to take advantage of lower quotations. Transfers for the full session were 818,340 shares.

Bethlehem, U.S. Steel, Case, Central Railroad of New Jersey and Oliver Farm were prominent in the upturn, each rising a point. American Telephone wiped out a decline to close unchanged.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed as follows:

Thirty industrials, 120.55, up .07. Twenty rails, 28.75, up .05. Fifteen utilities, 15.50, up .01. Sales, 680,000 shares.

	Close
Allied Chemicals	148½
American Can	78
American Smelter	92¼
American Tel. & Tel	129¾
Anaconda Copper	26¾
Atchison Topeka	47¼
B. & O. Railway	6¾
Baldwin Locomotive	11¼
Bethlehem Steel	57¼
Borden	23¼
Canadian Pacific Railway	7
Cerro de Pasco	34
C. & O. Railway	35¾
Chrysler	69¾
Con. Edison	16¼
Cont. Can	28¼
Crucible Steel	32¼
Curtiss Wright	7½
Douglas Aircraft	57¾
Eastman Kodak	147
General Foods	35
General Electric	32½
General Motors	44¼
Howe Sound	34½
International Harvester	57
Int. T. & T.	7
International Nickel	30
Kennecott Copper	29¼
Nash Kelvinator	9¾
New York Central	11¾
Penn. Railway	24¼
Pullman	27½
Radio	5½
Reynolds Tobacco	27¼
Standard Oil N.J.	47
Sears-Roebuck	60
Studebaker	[illegible]
Texas Gulf	37¼
Union Pacific	82¾
United Aircraft	27¼
U.S. Steel	48¾
Westinghouse Electric	82
Western Union	30½
Woolworth	33
Yellow Cab	10

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP).—Quotations in cents.

Official Canadian Control Board, rates for United States dollars: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market 9 13-16 per cent discount, or 90.06¼ United States cents, up 1-16 cent.

Argentina—Official 29.77, free 23.67, up .06 cent.

Brazil—Official 6.06, free 5.20.

Mexico—20.66.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP).—Quotations in dollars—Official (Bankers' Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying 4.02, selling 4.04; open market, cables 4.04.

(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

VANCOUVER STOCKS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20 (CP).—An upward trend was visible today in mines and oils on the Vancouver Stock Exchange. Trading stood at 26,403 shares.

Bralorne Mines moved up 5 to 7.85 and C. & E. Corp. up 2 to 1.34. McDougall, South End Petroleum and United showed fractional increases.

(Mfrs. Bate & Co. Ltd.)

Oils	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	.03	.06
Anglo-Canadian	.60	
A P Consolidated	.19	.19½
British Dominion	.20	.23
C. & E. Corporation	1.32	1.35
Calmont	.35	.37
Commoil	.16	.17½
Commonwealth	.30	.30
Dalhousie	.32	...
East Crest	.06	
Foothills	.87	.90
Highwood Sarcee	.14	.19
Home Oil	3.77	3.80
Madison	.02	
Mercury	.08½	.08
McDougall Segur	.07¾	.08½
Model	.21	.25
Mar Jon	.01½	
National Petroleum	.50	
Okalta	.40	.60
Pacalta	.06½	.06
Pacific Pete	.33	
Royal Canadian	.07	.07
Royalite	52.00	
United Oil	.07	.08½
Vanalta	.06	
Vulcan	.01	

Mines	Bid	Asked
Bayonne Consolidated	.05	.05½
Bralorne	7.80	8.10
Cariboo Gold	1.01	1.10
Golconda	.04½	
Gold Belt	.14	.18
Grandview	.13½	.18
[illegible]	.09½	.10
Hedley Mascot	.41	.45
Island Mountain	.75	
Kootenay Belle	.20	
Pacific Nickel		.15
Pend Oreille	1.25	
Pioneer	1.80	1.39
Premier Border	.02½	.03
Premier	.90	.91
Privateer	.35	.36
Reeves McDonald	.30	
Reno	.07	
Sheep Creek	.90	.98
Surf Inlet	.02	
Taylor Bridge	.02	.04
Whitewater	.02½	.03
Wellington	.01	.02
Capital Estates	1.10	
Coast Breweries	1.00	1.15
United Distillers	1.15	...

Montreal Stocks

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	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power & Paper	[illegible]	[illegible]
Alberta Pacific Grain	1½	2½
Bank of Montreal	150	160
Bank of Nova Scotia	226	
Bank of Toronto	210	250
Bathurst Paper "A"	14¼	15½
B C Power "A"	22	22½
Bell Telephone	146	148
Brazilian	10	10¼
B A Oil	18¾	19
B C Packers	19	20½
Building Products	15	15½
Canada Cement	4¾	5
Canada Malting	38	
Can Steamships	6	6½
Can Steamships, Pfd	31¼	32
Canadian Bank of Commerce	130	134
Can Breweries, Pfd	29	29½
Can. Car & Foundry	8¼	8½
Can Celanese	29½	30½
Can Industrial Alcohol "A"	4½	4¾
Canadian Pacific Railway	8½	8¾
Cockshutt Plow	8½	8¾
Cons. Bakeries	10¼	
Distillers-Seagrams	27	27½
Dominion Bank	140	150
Dominion Steel & Coal	9	9¼
Dominion Stores	6¾	7½
Dominion Tar & Chemical	7½	7¾
Fanny Farmer	22½	23
Fleet Aircraft	8	8½
Ford of Canada "A"	20¾	21
Gatineau Power Co	8	9
General Steelwares	8	8¼
Goodyear Tire	70¼	78
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	3	3¼
Hamilton Bridge	3	3¾
Imperial Oil	13¼	13½
Intl Nickel	35½	35¾
Intl. Pete	17¼	17¾
Intl. Utilities "A"	2½	
Loblaw Groceteria "A"	21	21
Massey-Harris, Com.	8	8½
Massey-Harris, Pfd	14½	18¼
McColl-Frontenac Oil	6½	7
Moore Corpn	45½	46
National Steel Car	39	39½
Page Hersey Tubes	93	93
Royal Bank of Canada	133	135
Shawinigan Power	18	
Steel Co of Canada, Com	61	62
Steel Co. of Canada, Pfd	66	
United Steel Corpn	4	4¼
Walker, G & W	47½	47¾
Walker, G & W, Pfd		19
Western Canada Flour	6½	6¾
George Weston	12	13
Winnipeg Electric "A"	3	3½
Can Investment Fund, ex-d		3.70

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	146	147
B A Oil	19	19¼
B C Power "A"	22	22½
Burlington Steel	9	
Can Car & Foundry, Pfd	27¼	28
Canadian Pacific Railway	8¾	9
Con Mining & Smelting	39¼	39½
Lake Paper	3¼	3
Dominion Bridge	26	27
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	9	9¼
Ford of Canada "A"	20	21
Gatineau Power 5%, Pfd	79¼	80½
Gatineau Power	8	9
Goodyear Tire	70	
Imperial Oil	13½	13¾
Imperial Tobacco	12	12½
Intl. Metal Indust. 6% Pfd	90	92
Intl. Metal Indust. "A"		21
Intl. Nickel	34½	35
Intl. Petroleum	17½	17
Montreal L H & P	29¾	27
Moore Corpn	45½	46
National Steel Car	34	39
Shawinigan W & P	18	
Steel of Canada	61	62
Hiram Walker G & W	47	48
Bank of Montreal	150	152
Royal Bank	134	135
Canadian Bank of Commerce	130	133

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Weinwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Argentina 4½%, 1971	86.00	90.00
Australia 4½%, 1956	94.00	89.00
Brazil 6%, 1957	33.50	38.00
Buenos Aires 5%, 1984	47.00	51.00
Chile 6%, 1961	18.00	24.00
Colombia 6%, 1961	31.00	
Cuba 4½%, 1977	71.00	78.50
Peru 6%, 1961	10.50	17.00
Sydney 5½%, 1955	87.00	
Uruguay 4¾%, 1970	60.00	70.00

London Stocks

LONDON, Jan. 20 (CP).—Stock closings, in sterling: Babcock & Wilcox, 50s 3d; Boots, 39s 6d; Central Mining, £13 1-2; Consolidated Goldfields, 41s 9d; Courtaulds, 48s 6d; Crown, £8 3-8; De Beers, dfd., £12 1-2; East Geduld, £8 3-4; H.B.C., 40s; Metal Box, 83s; Mexican Eagle, 11s; Mining Trust, 3s; Rand, £6 3-4; Springs, 17s 6d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £82 7-8; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £105 3-8; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £114 3-4.

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Weinwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	5 %	1943	102.89	103.23
" "	3½%	1944	100.70	100.75
" "	4 %	1945	101.50	102.00
" "	4½%	1946	107.00	108.00
" "	3½%	1949	102.25	103.25
" "	4 %	1952	105.50	109.75
" "	4½%	1958	100.00	100.25
" "	4½%	1959	108.00	110.00
" "	3 %	1955	99.00	100.00
" "	3¼%	1966	101.00	102.00
" "	3 %	Perp	94.00	95.00
" "	3½%	1960	102.50	103.50
" "	3¼%	1951	102.75	103.25
" "	3 %	1958	99.00	100.00
1st War Loan	3½%	1958	102.25	103.25
2nd War Loan	3 %	1960	99.50	100.50
1st Vcty Loan	3 %	1951	100.75	101.75
2nd Vcty Loan	3 %	1956	99.75	100.75
3rd Vcty Loan	3 %	1956	99.25	100.25
DOMINION GUARANTEES				
Can. Nat. Rly.	4 %	1951	101.35	122.70
	4½%	1957	103.35	104.75
	4½%	1955	104.25	105.70
July	5 %	1969	110.00	106.59
Oct	5 %	1969	125.00	104.50
	5 %	1954	117.50	119.00
	3 %	1953	99.50	100.35
	3 %	1944	101.25	102.75
	3 %	1950	99.00	101.00
	3 %	1959	99.00	100.25
Grand Trunk	3 %	1962	102.75	103.35
	4 %	1962	112.75	110.00

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Weinwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4%, 1953	73.50	77.00
Alberta 5%, 1955	74.00	78.00
British Columbia 3%, 1957	100.50	
British Columbia 4½%, 1953	112.30	114.50
British Columbia 5%, 1959	111.50	114.50
Manitoba 4½%, 1960	105.50	106.50
Manitoba 5%, 1958	112.50	112.50
New Brunswick 4½%, 1961	119.50	110.50
Nova Scotia 4½%, 1952	112.50	115.00
Ontario 4%, 1959	100.75	119.50
Quebec 4½%, 1958	105.50	108.00
Saskatchewan 5½%, 1951	84.00	
Saskatchewan 5%, 1958	97.75	99.25
Saskatchewan 5%, 1952	100.00	102.00

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Weinwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5%, 1950	60.00	64.00
B C Pulp 5%, 1959	90.25	95.00
Brown Co 5%, 1959	84.50	88.50
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	110.00	114.00
Canada Cement 4½%, 1951	102.50	150.50
Canada Steamship 5%, 1957	102.50	106.00
C P R 4%, 1965	100.82	101.00
C P R 5%, 1951	99.50	100.00
Dominion Tar 4%, 1951	101.00	
Famous Players 4%, 1951	100.50	150.50
Gatineau Power 5%, 1960	100.25	103.75
Maple Leaf 5%, 1958	94.50	98.00
Massey-Harris 4½%, 1954	97.50	101.00
McColl-Frontenac 4½%, 1949	100.50	104.50
Shawinigan 4%, 1961	103.50	107.00
Simpsons Ltd 4½%, 1951	100.25	100.50
United Grain Grs 5%, 1948	99.75	102.75

The city of Santo Domingo, now named Ciudad Trujillo, was built by Columbus brother Bartolome.

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾
Barley—				
May	64¾	65¼	64¾	64
July	63¼	63¾	63¼	63¾
Oats—				
May	51¼	51	51¼	51
July	51	51	51	51
Rye—				
May	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¼
July	80¾	80¾	80	80¾

Cash Grain

Wheat—	
No 1 Northern	90¾
No 2 Northern	87
No 3 Northern	83¾
Track	90¾
Oats—	
No 2 C W	51¼
Track	51
Barley—	
No 3 C W	63¾
Track	63
Rye—	
No 2 C W	81
Track	80

CHICAGO GRAIN

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	139¼	139¼	138½	138
July	139	139	138½	139
Sept	139½	140½	139½	140
Corn—				
May	99	99½	98½	98
July	99	99	98¾	99
Sept	99¾	99	98	99
Oats—				
May	58	58½	58½	58½
July	57¾	57¾	57	57½
Sept	57¾	57¾	57¼	57½
Rye—				
May	79	79¾	79¼	79¾
July	81	81¾	80½	80¾
Sept	83	83½	82¾	83

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION

(Island Investment Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Aunor	1.47	1.54
Brenlan	.32	.33
Base Metals	.06	.06
Beattie	.74	.74
Bralorne	7.80	
Buffalo Ankerite	1.65	1.70
Canadian Malartic	.48	.50
Central Patricia	1.00	1.07
Chesterville	.86	.87
Dome	19.85	19.50
Sidamed Kirkland	.11	.11
East Malartic	1.70	.22
Eldorado	.04	.17
Falconbridge	3.40	3.65
God's Lake	.03	.04
Hard Rock Gold	.37	.14
Hard Rock	.30	
Hollinger	9.40	9.50
Home Oil	2.80	2.82
Hosco	.14	.80
Hudson Bay M & S	27.30	28.00
Kirkland Lake	.49	.60
Kerr Addison	3.00	3.05
Lakeshore	11.50	11.75
Leitch Gold	.74	.78
Little Long Lac	.91	.94
McIntyre	47.00	48.50
Macassa	2.70	2.80
McKenzie Red Lake	.90	.92
McLeod Cockshutt	1.95	1.70
McWatters		.13
Jason	.14	
Madsen Red Lake	.77	.78
Malartic Gold	1.00	1.02
Moneta	.18	.24
Noranda	39.25	44.00
O'Brien	.85	.87
Camour	.60	.68
Paymaster	.20	.20½
Pend Oreille	1.24	1.35
Perron Gold		1.05
Pickle Crow	1.80	1.85
Pioneer	1.30	1.32
Premier	.90	.90
Preston East Dome	1.80	1.86
San Antonio	3.00	3.05
Sherritt-Gordon	.76	
Sigma	9.00	9.00
Siscoe	.42	.44
Sladen Malartic	.35	.38
Sudbury Basin	1.50	1.70
Sullivan	.70	.73
Steep Rock	1.85	1.70
Sylvanite	1.40	1.42
Teck-Hughes	3.12	3.15
Toburn	.60	.68
Uchi Lake	.60½	.60
Upper Canada	1.10	1.10
Ventures	4.40	4.34
Waite Amulet	4.20	4.24
Wright-Hargreaves	3.00	3.36

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

(Island Investment Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	149	150
Brazilian Traction	10	10¼
B.A. Oil	18½	19
B.C. Power "A"	22	22½
Building Products	15	15½
Canada Cement	4¾	5
Canada Malting	39	
Can. Car & Foundry	8	8¼
Can. Industrial Alcohol "A"	3	4¼
Canadian Pacific	8¼	8½
Cockshutt Plow	8½	8¾
Distillers-Seagrams	27	27½
Dominion Steel & Coal	9	9¼
Ford of Canada	20¼	21
Gatineau Power	8	9
General Steelwares	9	9
Hiram Walker	47¼	47½
Imperial Oil	13¼	13½
Int'l Nickel	36	36¾
Int'l Pete	17¼	17¾
Massey-Harris	9	9¼
McColl-Frontenac	6½	7
National Steel Car	39	39¼
Page Hersey	97	97
Shawinigan	18½	
Steel of Canada	61	62
Steel of Canada, Pfd	66	
Banks		
Canadian Bank of Commerce	129	134
Dominion Bank	144	148
Bank of Montreal	150	160
Bank of Nova Scotia	250	
Royal Bank	130	133
Bank of Toronto	240	250

Averages

Industrials, 100.42, down .06.
Golds, 74.22, down .20.
Metals, 86.67, down .05.
Oils, 38.30, up .06.
Sales, 222,000.

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Grade "A" medium	.34
Grade "A" pullet	.31

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By order of the Board.
W. B. LANE,
Secretary.
Vancouver, B.C., January 9th, 1943.

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NO. 34—EIGHTY-FIFTH YEAR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 1943

Glancing Over Sport

By JOE DELAHUNTY

THE DAY'S WASHING

The hockey public is mad and has been ever since the last Army-Navy game at the Willows, and it has every reason to be in that mood. Its madness is caused by the manner in which the ticket sale is handled from the city. Complaints galore have reached this department from people of all walks of life, telling us about their disappointments. We have received protests via letters, telephone and on the street corners over the situation. One fellow tells us he sent a runner down to the line-up to get tickets for the last game an hour before the ticket sale began, and he returned later with two rush seats. Still another corners me and says that he was twenty-sixth in the line and was there at 7.30 in the morning, and all he could get was the same as the previous case I just mentioned. . . . Rumors fly around the city that so many ducats go to the Navy and so many to the Army when their teams are involved, which is ony fair, but what about the supporting hockey public, where does it come off? . . . The general opinion is that the fans who go out to every game should be given some preference, and, after all, that is only right, as far as yours truy is concerned. . . . I don't know who is to blame for this mixup, but the sooner it is rectified the better, for the public only stands for so much and no more . . . In the days when the Cougars were Stanley Cup contenders, the fans used to sit on soap boxes in front of Plimley & Ritchie, on View Street, from 4.30 in the morning for their tickets, and the rule then was first come first served, and, as far as I know, Lester Patrick never played any favorites.

ODDS AND ENDS

If conditions keep the way they are at present the Victoria Rep ruggers will be staying home this coming Saturday instead of traveling to Vancouver to meet the Maintenders in the scheduled McKechnie Cup series. Last Saturday the local machine was all geared up and raring to go, but Jack Frost stepped in and said: "No game today, boys." Now it looks as if something else from the heavens (censorship will not permit telling what it is) is going to halt the Brockton Point engagement next Saturday. Varsity will be over here on January 30 for their delayed match with Doswell's fifteen, but the students will have to pay their own way this time as they had the opportunity of playing last week but balked at the idea . . . I had two right wingers on my all-star hockey team, but what's the difference, if a man can play on the wing surely he can face the puck off at centre . . . Many old-time hockey writers classed Frank Nighbor, of that famous Ottawa team of many years ago and later with the Vancouver Millionaires, as one of the best defencemen in the game and he was a forward. They did this because Frank was probably the greatest back checker the big time has ever seen. There are countless hockey players who can play any position on the ice, except, of course, goal . . . Remember when: United States amateur tennis received a crushing blow eleven years ago today when Francis T. Hunter followed Big Bill Tilden, his famous doubles partner, into professional ranks? They made their pro debut February 18 the same year at New York before a crowd of 14,000 . . . Remember when: Concluding a hockey tour of Germany in which they met no defeats Canada's Trail Smoke Eaters defeated a picked All-Germany team, 7-2, at Garmisch-Partenkirchen four years ago tomorrow? Leading 3-2 at the end of the first, the Canadians pushed in four goals in the last period.

FROM HERE AND THERE

Apparently every effort is going to be made to have horse racing at the Willows track this Summer, but some obstacles will have to be overcome before the ponies face the barrier on the opening day. If the "green light" signal is officially given the racing association will be more than fortunate, for right now the grounds are under control of military authorities. All the buildings, except the ice arena, have been taken over by the troops and therefore if the association is given the go-ahead signal they will be lucky indeed . . . Bill Cowley picked up another assist in Tuesday night's game against the Canadiens to increase his lead in the scoring parade in the N.H.L. Hockey brains is what makes the Boston Bruin forward the smartest play-maker in the business . . . Here was the headline on the first sports page in The Seattle P.I. yesterday, "Snow hits local sports slate" . . . One of baseball's grandest players, Paul Waner, was given the gate by the Boston Braves this week along with John Cooney, another outfielder. Their combined ages total eighty-one years, Waner being forty and Cooney one year older. Paul spent most of his big league career in the camp of the Pittsburgh Pirates and won the batting championship on more than one occasion. He was known to the fans as "Big Poison" and his brother "Little Poison," due to their terrific power at the plate. Both brothers came up from the San Francisco Seals at tender ages for big-timers and stayed around the big tent for a long time before Father Time caught up with Paul . . . The way young Howie Morenz is moving through the ranks in Eastern amateur hockey it won't be long before he will be stepping into the shoes of his famous dad. Howie is now playing senior and is only about fourteen. In his first game in fast company the youngster bagged three neat goals and the Canadiens' management is watching him closely, for if Howie hits the pro ranks, it will be with the club his late father put on the hockey map by his brilliant playing.

Opening Baseball Games Are Given

Presidents of American and National Leagues Announce Fixtures for Start of 1943 Campaign—All-Star Game Will Be Staged at Shibe Park This Year

By JUDSON BAILEY
Associated Press Sport Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP).—Meeting to adjust the major league baseball schedules to fit the new opening and closing dates set recently, Ford Frick, president of the National League, and William Harridge, president of the American League, today agreed on Tuesday, July 13, for the All-Star spectacle at Philadelphia.

This was exactly a week later than the date previously set for the eleventh annual game, which will be played at Shibe Park under the sponsorship of Philadelphia Athletics, of the American League.

The rescheduling of the All-Star game was perhaps the easiest task that came before Harridge and Frick, who were called upon to improvise new features into this year's programme in order to save transportation.

They were unable to complete all the details of today's session, but they estimated that major league transportation this year, including the revised Spring training, will be reduced 5,000,000 man miles.

As agreed upon today the two leagues will open their schedules Wednesday, April 21, and close Sunday, October 3.

Washington Senators, however, will be hosts to Philadelphia Athletics at Griffith Stadium, Tuesday, April 20, following the usual pattern of having a special opening game at Washington every second year when the Senators ordinarily would start on the road.

Opening games on April 21 will be:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington at New York.
Boston at Philadelphia.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York at Brooklyn.
Philadelphia at Boston.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.

The teams that start away from home will have their "second openers" Tuesday, April 27, in the National League, and either Monday or Tuesday in the American League. Pairings for these games will be:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at Washington.
Cleveland at Chicago.
St. Louis at Detroit.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Boston at New York.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.
Chicago at St. Louis.

No team will make more than three trips into any other city in the league and under this plan the leagues will have inter-sectional games on Memorial Day (May 30) and Independence Day (July 4) for the first time in history, and will finish with an inter-sectional series in October for the first time in more than twenty years.

What Would Dad Think!?

THE son of Willie Ritchie, the famed lightweight champion of 1912-14, will appear soon in New York in quite a different role from that in which his battling pop would have appeared. Young "Ritchie," who does not use that ring name of his father's but goes by his true name, Geary Steffan, Jr., will be Sonja Henie's skating partner in the Hollywood Ice Revue. Miss Henie and Geary are pictured above.

BELCHERS IN FINE VICTORY

Royal Air Force Team Turned Back by Movie Snaps in City Table Tennis

In the Victoria and District Table Tennis Association first division matches played at the Crystal Garden on Monday night, all matches ended true to form, except one, where Belcher's Movie Snaps beat out the crack R.A.F. squad, 18-17. The players from the Old Country, although only having three men, tried desperately hard to avoid defeat, but the opposing players gave nothing away. The highlight of this match came when E. D. Walker, the R.A.F. star, played brilliantly to beat Ab Renfrew in both games and thus marred Renfrew's splendid league average. This win puts them in third place with the Chinese Students, lying fourth, who had no match.

The Jokers still retain the second position through their win over the R.A.F. No. 2 team, 24-12. Vic Tully and "Topsy" McKay were best for the winners with eight games each. Sylvester's U Drive beat Liberty Cafe, 20-16, with D. Hawkes being best for the winners with seven games. Hill's U Drive easily beat the lowly Barmacs team, who still remain the bottom dogs of the league.

Results follow:

Belcher's Movie Snaps 18, R.A.F. No. 1 17.
Sylvester's U Drive 20, Liberty Cafe 16.
Jokers 24, R.A.F. No. 2 12.
Hill's U Drive 7, Barmacs 1.

Next Monday's matches follow:

R.A.F. No 1 vs. Barmacs.
Hill's U Drive vs Liberty Cafe.
Chinese Students vs. R.A.F. No. 2.
Belcher's Movie Snaps vs. Jokers.

Flyers Set Back Army Icemen, 5-3

Royal Canadian Air Force Registers Smart Victory Over Troops in Island League Battle at Willows Rink—Shipbuilders Meet Flyers Tomorrow Evening

LEAGUE STANDING

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Navy	18	8	4	6	96	51	20
Army	18	8	8	8	93	72	16
R.C.A.F.	14	7	5	2	68	76	16
Nanaimo	18	8	8	2	64	87	14
V.M.D.	16	4	18	8	69	104	8

Last Night's Score

R.C.A.F. 5, Army 3.

Next Game

Tomorrow—V.M.D. vs. R.C.A.F., at 8:30 o'clock.

Royal Canadian Air Force took over undisputed occupation of third berth in the Vancouver Island Senior Amateur Hockey League last night with a 5-3 verdict over the Army squad before a large, enthusiastic gathering of fans at the Willows Arena.

Flyers outscored the soldiers in two of the three periods, and after setting up a 3-1 advantage at the end of the first session were never headed. Troops sliced the margin with a "quickie" in the early seconds of the sandwich stanza, but never came closer.

Victory for the Flyers left them two points ahead of the fourth-place Nanaimo Clippers in the race for Island honors, and an equal distance back of the second-berth Army team. Tomorrow, the Royal Canadian Air Force will oppose V.M.D., and another win will move them into second place, right alongside the troops.

Flyers paid strict attention to their hockey chores last night and, given some excellent backing up by their defence and a youngster named Alec Clow in the nets, took the measure of the Army in a game that developed into a rugged affair in the third and final period.

Soldiers spent a lot of time squawking about the referees, and in the last twenty minutes of play demonstrated their dislike for the way the "whistle-tooters" were calling the plays. A number of their players drew trips to the "cooler," to the disadvantage of the club and their chances of taking the contest.

KIRK, KING OUT

Royal Canadian Air Force played without the services of Bobby Kirk and Stan King, two members of their first-string "K-K-K" line, both of whom are on the injured list. Then to add further to their misfortune, Hal McBride, regular defenceman, left the ice about midway through the sandwich session with a cut leg. He did not return.

Troops had equally as much if not a little more of the territorial play than the Royal Canadian Air Force, but they found the Flyers' defence and quick-thinking Alec Clow, opposing goalie, hard to pass. Then, too, the soldiers never had any "breaks" with their shots on goal, missing many close calls.

Army defence was not to be compared with that of the Air Force but, oddly enough, most of the goals scored by the Flyers were shots from some distance out. Twice, however, nineteen-year-old Stan Curry's view of the rubber was blocked by players. However, he was badly beaten on a pair of "longies," and then at times he saved when left alone in his cage.

Joe Krol opened the scoring for the Flyers at 8:13 of the first period when he snared a loose puck as he returned to the ice after a rest and slapped it into the corner out of reach of Curry.

Soldiers equalized at 15.15 when Joffre Desilets took Bill Carse's pass out and flipped the rubber home. Elmer Kreller also drew an assist on the marker.

VERITY SCORES

Scrappy Doug Verity, who improves each time out, lifted the puck into the Army goal from just inside the blue line and boosted the Flyers into a 2-1 lead, a lead which they never relinquished.

Just before the session ended Will Cook tallied on a pass from Joe Krol. The goal came at 18.32, leaving the score 3-1 in favor of the Flyers.

Army showed a lot of life in the early seconds of the sandwich period and scored at :34 of the stanza when Hugh Sutherland "golfed" the puck to the corner. Elmer Kreller was given an assist on the play.

Joe Krol, Flyers' centre, bagged his second tally at 8.35 of this period when he took a perfect pass from big Hal McBride and lifted the puck through a bunch of players and into the net behind Stan Curry. Sawchuk, Army, was in the penalty box at the time.

Royal Canadian Air Force moved still further ahead when Hal McBride received the disc from a perfect pass out by Doug Verity and rifled it home for the Flyers' fifth and final tally.

FINAL TALLY

Only goal of the hectic third period came at 18.25 with Bill Carse scoring on a pass from Julian Sawchuk, soldier defenceman. Army drew five of six penalties in this stanza, and the fans along with the soldier pucksters, showed their disapproval of the officiating.

Near the end of the game Hugh Sutherland, Army, and Lou Labovitch, Flyers, came close to blows but players intervened. They each drew a two-minute penalty to cool off.

Stan Curry, Army goalie, was taken out of the cage with less than two minutes of play remaining, to give the soldiers six men on the attack. It was at this stage of the game that the troops registered their final goal.

LINE-UPS

R.C.A.F.—Clow, Labovitch, McBride, Krol, Cook, Gilpin. Subs.: Lowe, O'Donohue, Platz, Verity.

Army—Curry, Sawchuk, H. Sutherland, Carse, Desilets, Kreller. Subs. Bobrosky, Kennedy, Melynk, Lunde.

Officials—Battell and Cantyre.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, R.C.A.F., Krol 8.13; 2, Army, Desilets (Carse, Kreller), 15.15; 3, R.C.A.F., Verity, 18.52; 4, R.C.A.F., Cook (Krol), 18.32.

Second Period—5, Army, H. Sutherland (Kreller), :34; 6, R.C.A.F., Krol (McBride), 8.35; 7, R.C.A.F., McBride (Verity), 10.42. Penalties, Sawchuk, Lowe, Kennedy, Bobrosky.

Third Period—8, Army, Carse (Sawchuk), 18.25. Penalties: Sawchuk, H. Sutherland, Lunde, Desilets, R. Sutherland, Labovitch.

BAUGH CLEARED BY GRID HEADS

CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP).—Sammy Baugh, Washington Redskins' passing star, today was officially cleared of everything but carelessness by Elmer Layden, commissioner of the National Football League, for failure to appear with other Redskins in the service benefit game with the All-Stars at Philadelphia, December 27.

Layden, in a 300-word statement, said investigation proved that Baugh intended to play; that he was really ill when he intended leaving his Rotan, Texas, home for Philadelphia, and that at the most "he (Baugh) may have been careless in delegating the duty of notifying the club officials."

Layden added that "the publicity and subsequent investigation attendant upon Baugh's failure to appear in Philadelphia is deemed sufficient punishment under the circumstances."

Baugh, whose passing skill elevated the Redskins to the professional championship over Chicago Bears, had been ballyhooed as one of the featured attractions of the benefit game, and the fact that he would not be on hand to play was not revealed until the night before the game.

Widespread reports that Baugh had "run out" were unanimously denied by his teammates, who said Baugh had made no remarks belittling the game or indicating that he would not play in it. The 17-14 defeat of the Redskins by the All-Stars was attributed in some quarters to Baugh's failure to play.

MEXICAN PYRAMID

A ruined pyramid has been discovered by archeologists in what is believed to be the ancient city of Tula, in Northern Mexico.

Scoring Race in Island Ice Loop Is Getting Closer

HAL Brown, of the Navy Hockey Club, still sets the pace in the Vancouver Island League with a total of twenty-four goals and seven assists for a full count of thirty-one points. Holding down second place comes Elmer Kreller, Army, with fifteen and fifteen assists, while Maurice Duffy, Victoria Machinery Depot; Bill Carse, Army, and Connie King, V.M.D., are deadlocked for the next spot with twenty-eight points each. King has eighteen goals and ten assists; Duffy sixteen goals and a dozen assists, and Carse has fifteen markers and thirteen aids. Bus Algar, Army, is next on the list with a dozen goals and two more assists to his credit.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . By Ripley

EXPLANATION TO YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

The Never-Forgotten Man—Saint Said Bou Ahmed directed that he be buried in the centre of the busy Souk es Sekadjine (Souk of the Saddlemakers), Tunis, in order that his memory should never be forgotten. The street is a very narrow one and it is necessary to step around it with the result that passersby can never forget the saint buried here.

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MINORS WILL BE OPERATING

President Will Bramham Says Clubs Will Operate Despite Rumors

DURHAM, N.C., Jan. 20 (AP).—Striking back at "gloom spreaders," Will G. Bramham, president of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, said today all evidence indicates there will be sufficient players available for the minor leagues this season.

Bramham made public a letter he wrote to the heads of all leagues and clubs in rebuttal of "the prediction that no clubs below 'AA' classification can expect to operate."

The letter said:

"There were twenty-six minor leagues operating 184 clubs in 1942. Under the rules they could have only a total of 2,183 players on their active rosters during that season.

"If all the 'AA,' 'A-1' and 'A' classification leagues and one-half of their 136 clubs operate, they would collectively require 1,871 players as against 2,912, the rules allowed our leagues and clubs in 1942."

Bramham said the net loss of players from minor league rosters to national defence and to voluntary retirement since the close of last season, using August 29 as an average closing date, had been 431 players and continued:

"Now, then, let's be more than liberal, and say there are 200 additional players on our active rosters only, who have gone into the service prior to August 29, 1942, of which we do not at this time have notice; still another 200 will go on the service list before the 1943 season opens, we'll say. This would account for 831 players on the active and inactive rosters of our clubs at the close of the 1942 season that would not be available for active duty during the 1943 season.

"Even upon that more than liberal calculation there would be available for 1943 operations for sixteen leagues 210 more players than their club player limits would permit them to carry on their active lists."

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 20 (AP).—The other day Morris Siegel, who was a sports writer before he became a sailor, wrote a column for The Norfolk Seabag, naval training station paper . . . It was headed "We want baseball," and since Siegel ought to know what his shipmates think, we'll give you a few samples of what he has to say.

"We feel that professional baseball is as legitimate as any other business and is more necessary than a lot which are operating today under the guise of being 'essential to the war effort' . . . Baseball is part of America, part of what we're fighting for today . . . We don't recommend the deferment of men to play baseball. Simply give the fellows who are trying to provide a little wholesome recreation a bit of encouragement."

NO PARRING

A busload of Detroiters had a surprise the other day all because Bowler Andy Varipapa, who had been conducting a pin-spilling school there, happened to be walking along Woodward Avenue . . . As the bus drew up to Varipapa, the driver brought it to a sudden halt in the middle of the block and opened the door . . . "Hi, Andy," he shouted. "I've got my average up twelve pins since you changed me from three to four steps."

One-Minute Sports Page: The entire first team of the Wissinoming Boys' Club, winner of Philadelphia's Pop Warner Football League championship, volunteered for induction in the army and their coach, Robert Wiley, went right along.

AMATEUR HOCKEY

(By The Canadian Press)

Ottawa Senior City Hockey League—Postal Corps 4, Canadiens 2; Kingston 4, Montagnards 3.

Port Arthur Senior—Bearcats 4, Shipbuilders 2.

O.H.A. Senior "A"—(Niagara group), Niagara Falls 1, St. Catharines 2; (Toronto group), Air Force 7, Army 6.

O.H.A. Junior "A"—Young Rangers 4, Hamilton 4 (overtime).

Manitoba Junior (North Division)—St. Boniface 2, Winnipeg Esquires 3 (overtime); C.U.A.C. 3, Wolseley 2.

COWLEY BOOSTS HIS LEADERSHIP

(By The Canadian Press)

Boston's ace centre, Bill Cowley, collected one assist as Bruins defeated Montreal Canadiens, 8-2, Tuesday night, and widened the gap at the top of the National Hockey League scorers, leading Lorne Carr, of Toronto Maple Leafs, by four points. Other leaders were idle.

The leaders:

	G	A	Pts
Cowley, Boston	12	33	45
Carr, Toronto	21	20	41
Patrick, New York	14	25	39
Taylor, Toronto	11	26	37
Apps, Toronto	18	17	36
Bell, Boston	20	15	35
Stewart, Toronto	18	15	34

N.H.L. LEADERS

(By The Canadian Press)

Standing—Boston, won 17, lost 8, drew 8, points 40.

Points—Cowley, Boston, 45.

Goals—Carr, Toronto, 21.

Assists—Cowley, Boston, 33.

Penalties—Orlando, Detroit, 41 Minutes.

Shutouts—Mowers, Detroit, three.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

Service Hockey Teams Are Drawing Big Crowds to Arenas Across Canada—Eastern Writer Says Victoria Turnouts Are Reminiscent of the Palmy Patrick Days

By CHARLES EDWARDS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO, Jan. 20 (CP).—Service hockey teams are creating a spectator interest unequaled for many years in some Canadian cities.

Wally Stanowsky, Pete Langelle and their cohorts are packing them in at Winnipeg where senior hockey had been dead for a decade. Regina is well on the way toward setting a new attendance record for league games. Halifax is showing more puck interest than at any time since Wolverines won the Allan Cup in 1935. Victoria crowds are reminiscent of the palmy Patrick days.

Former National League stars with the service teams have a lot to do with increased crowd appeal. Fans had read about these stars for years, but few from the West or Maritimes had seen them in action before service hockey provided the opportunity.

Curiosity drew the fans at first and thrilling hockey kept them coming. Dave Dryburgh, of The Regina Leader-Post, says Murray Armstrong and his Regina Capitals have introduced the showman type of hockey that made New York Rangers famous. "Lester Patrick (of Rangers) proved that if a team has the men to get away with it, the let's-get-goals-and-to-hell-with-defence game is a sure winner at the box office, and the Caps are piling up additional evidence on his behalf."

EXPECT TOO MUCH

Sometimes, perhaps, fans have expected too much from the transplanted stars. Bingo Kampman, former Toronto Leaf, and Bobby Bauer, of Boston Bruins, are playing with Halifax service teams and meeting some criticism. One fan referred to Kampman as "a big palooka." Ken (Halifax Herald) Chisholm writes in defence of the stars: "Those boys don't make the plays look hard, as less experienced players do, and consequently a section of the fans think they aren't trying. They'll get to appreciate these fellows after watching them a bit more."

Incidentally, a couple of old-time Maritime puck stars are in the Halifax City League. Gordon (Doggie) Kuhn, former Truro Bearcat and New York Americans player, is out with the civilian Crescents. Folks down Truro way used to call him "Twinkle Legs." Knucker Irvine, who reached the amateur pinnacle with Moncton's Allan Cup Hawks, is with the air force team.

A Real Hockey Collision

Dud "Red" Garrett (15), of the New York Rangers, nearest the camera, and his opposite number, Gaye Stewart (15), of the Toronto Maple Leafs, go down in a wildly waving tangle of arms, sticks and skates while the puck goes slithering away across the ice during a National Hockey League game in New York. The puck can be seen just off Dud's skate. The Rangers won this game by a 3-to-1 score.

FLYERS, ARMY WIN FIXTURES

R.C.A.F. Cagers Turn Back K.V.'s—Soldiers Defeat Sailors

Royal Canadian Air Force and Army senior "A" men's cage teams registered victories in leag[ue] games last night at the Victo[ria] High School gymnasium. Flyers defeated K.V.'s, 27-20, and the boys in khaki turned back the Navy, 21-22.

Norman Baker and "Busher" Jackson led the Flyers' offensive, dropping home fourteen and twelve points, respectively, while Ranson and Lorimer, each with eight points, were high men for the K.V.'s.

Husky Doug Peden, who is gradually hitting his scoring stride, topped the soldier sharpshooters with an even dozen points, with Art Chapman and Gordie Hartley scoring exactly half that number. Parks led the bluejackets with seven points.

In minor league fixtures played last night, St. Louis College defeated Fairfield, 41-20; K.V.'s swamped Y.M.C.A., 81-10, and Fairfield intermediate "B" boys' team whipped Chinese Students, 22-19.

Officials—Coles, Lewis and Donaghy.

Line-ups and scores of the senior contests follow:

R.C.A.F.—Goldsmith 8, Baker 14, Jackson 12, Phelan 2, Stout 3, McKim, Lands. Total, 37.

K.V.'s—Ranson 8, Lorimer 8, Johnson, Wood 2, Hampton 5, Chungranes, Brown, Cains 4, Inglis 2, Taylor. Total, 30.

Navy—Kennedy, Wright 4, James, O'Hara 5, Murphy 4, Bauld 2, Parks 7, Sedgwick, Baker. Total, 22.

Army—Chapman 6, McKay 2, Peden 12, Sparks, McCorkall, Hartley 6, Rosnyck 5. Total, 31.

SOCCER IS CANCELED

The scheduled match between the Mount View eleven and Oak Bay soccer squad this afternoon at the Oak Bay Park has been canceled, it was announced yesterday, due to weather conditions.

Seven pilgrimages to Kairouan, in Tunisia, are said to have the spiritual value to devout Moslems as one trip to Mecca.

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WOMEN'S COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Ramblers—M Watson, 538, E Watson 651, B Moore 220, F Bossom, 348, B Maskelyn, 374, handicap, 616, Total, 3,077.
Ramblers won three by default

Lucky "13"—M Armstrong 560, B Amyes, 641, M Binley 487, L Bamford, 469, B White, 527, Total, 3,644.
Merry Macs—M Harvey 556, M Hick, 402, V Cooper 699, C Tanner 496, A Marshall, 401, handicap 336, Total, 3,628.
Merry Macs won two

Bapco No. 1—J McNaught, 466, M Booth, 477, J McDonald, 308, A Connor, 5-3, low score, 430, handicap, 192, Total, 2,700.
B.C. Electric—E Warder, 543, N Simbers, 510, E Troser, 432, A Sevwright, 641, O Rayhone, 442, handicap, 270, Total, 2,798.
B.C. Electric won two

Dismaire—M Berti, 465, E Fallick, 410, M Fallick, 324, B Walton, 560, low score, 358, handicap, 174, Total, 2,184.
Victoria Red & Mattress—Agnes Bone 776, Flo Kean, 504, Marra Chalmers, 460, Betty Powell, 169, Eileen Potter, 616, handicap, 166, Total, 2,446.
Victoria Red & Mattress won three

Vel Vets—F Roughton, 484, M Lewis, 436, O Rawlings, 196, F Watkins, 346, L Pears, 300, handicap, 616, Total, 2,437.
Victors—K Shillington, 500, G Holt, 623, I Baudson, 540, N McClelland, 600, I Heath, 415, handicap, 132, Total, 2,620.
Victors won two

NAVY LEAGUE

S.S.A.—Orelton, 686, Johnston, 604, Beach, 430, Warawa, 671, Hunter, 361, handicap, 68, Total, 2,784.
S.S.A. won three by default.

Writers—W Paul, 434, I McCreath, 516, S V Lever, 756, D Sedgewick, 462, A V Newsom, 807, Total, 3,077.
Artisans—J Patterson, 362, W Greaves, 610, A Ross, 370, T Patterson, 540, W McQueen, 708, P Krebets, 328, Total, 3,021.
Writers won two

Officers—Bennett, 602, Freeman, 621, Garvie, 518, Young, 460, O'Brien, 348, low score, 131, handicap, 84, Total, 2,667.
Communications—Poulton, 466, Thirsk, 601, Wilkinson, 401, Drysdale, 436, Stebbings, 673, handicap, 128, Total, 2,720.
Officers won two

Artificers—W. Cooke, 675, W Iles, 496, J. Fearncombe, 341, M Pederson, 327, J Taby, 521, handicap, 31, Total, 2,610.
Torpedoes—Henderson, 612, Peters, 660, Clemens, 417, Morgan, 501, Lamb, 620, handicap, 86, Total, 2,876.
Torpedoes won two.

Seamen—Ford, 300, Joyce, 626, Wood, 569, Cowan, 434, Richardson, 586, handicap, 42, Total, 2,436.
Band—Griffiths, 616, Bellett, 540, Davis, 625, Maure, 508, Bishop, 453, handicap, 16, Total, 2,431.
Band won two.

WESTERN AIR COMMAND LEAGUE

Tomahawks—L.A.C. Wilcock, 640, Cpl Tudoruck, 640, Cpl. Surich, 657, W.O.2 Frith, 650, handicap, 54, Total, 2,641.
Tomahawks won three by default

Liberators—Broome, 681, Lear, 471, Wilson, 660, Miller, 612, Chapman, 662, handicap, 308, Total, 3,252.
Lancasters—F.L. Bourne, 427, Sgt Freeman, 416, W.O.1 Grant, 420, Cpl Ellis, 520, P.S. Cook, 582, handicap, 406, Total, 2,762.
Liberators won three

Leanders—W Parker, 674, F Eberne, 601, H Schultes, 568, G S Rothwell, 542, J Rowe, 617, handicap, 327, Total, 3,176.
Dallants—McKee, 488, Campbell, 606, Graham, 643, Lawrence, 616, Summerfeldt, 645, handicap, 267, Total, 2,810.
Leanders won three.

Harvicanes—Miss Petherbridge, 407, Miss Scott, 327, Miss Bishop, 304, Miss Stevenson, 508, Miss Cromwell, 475, handicap, 823, Total, 2,643.
Bolingbrokes—Weatherwax, 462, Keen, 640, Trempe, 640, Ralf, 668, Dingwall, 496, handicap, 240, Total, 2,868.
Bolingbrokes won three.

Halifaxes—Tennant, 655, Braddick, 428, Baker, 504, Rennie, 534, Tunbridge, 778, handicap, 310, Total, 3,194.
Spitfires—Birch, 338, MacDonald, 277, Michie, 540, Thompson, 330, Main, 602, handicap, 600, Total, 2,485.
Halifaxes won three.

KIWANIS-ROTARY LEAGUE

Kiwanis "D"—Matthews, 646, Walton, 208, McLean, 610, McDowall, 606, Hayward, 163, Pauldin, 406, handicap, 141, Total, 2,616.
Rotary "B"—Doe, 685, King, 497, Dowman, 439, Ireland, 506, McLaughlin, 227, handicap, 63, Total, 2,387.
Rotary "B" won two.

Rotary "A"—Armstrong, 469, Clarke, 486, Frame, 688, Kurland, 451, Armistead, 672, handicap, 361, Total, 2,740.
Rotary "E"—Coard, 630, Maynard, 516, Alexander, 476, Dease, 483, Beale, 500, handicap, 117, Total, 2,716.
Rotary "A" won two.

Rotary "C"—Lindsay, 466, Keiwer, 460, Shandley, 488, Moore, 622, Corcoran, 716, handicap, 165, Total, 2,967.
Rotary "D"—Bradbury, 567, Day, 224, Taylor, 431, Hodgson, 304, Davies, 509, handicap, 612, Total, 2,681.
Rotary "C" won three.

Kiwanis "A"—Hibberson, 676, Dowell, 571, Brown, 130, Bowerman, 396, Waters, 336, McDermaid, 362, handicap, 138, Total, 2,683.
Kiwanis "B"—Marlow, 521, Curtis, 366, Ensley, 555, Spence, 615, Brown, 376, handicap, 150, Total, 2,420.
Kiwanis "B" won two.

Kiwanis "C"—Leeson, 468, Rose, 404, Mattindale, 563, Delf, 506, King, 516, handicap, 133, Total, 2,590.
Rotary "F"—Heal, 526, Turley, 439, Hodgson, 67, Lane, 460, Murphy, 508, Dowell, 227, handicap, 116, Total, 2,423.
Kiwanis "C" won two.

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HORNETS BEAT HERSHEY TEAM

Pittsburgh Scores 4-2 Victory Over Rival Squad in Hockey Race

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 20 (AP).—Pittsburgh Hornets defeated Hershey Bears, 3-2, in an American Hockey League game tonight to give the Hornets five victories in six games with the league-leading Bears.

The contest was transferred here from Hershey, Pa., because of transportation difficulties.

Hershey took advantage of a penalty levied on Pete Bessone to score first in a drab first period. Levandowski took a pass from Moe in front of the Hornet cage to score.

The Hornets tied it up near the end of the period when Schiltz tallied and scored two more in the second period on two freak shots by Hemmerling and Mann. Frost then scored for Hershey.

The third period was scoreless.

PROVIDENCE, R.I., Jan. 20 (AP).—Defenceman Harold Jackson's last-minute goal gave Indianapolis Capitals a 6-5 overtime victory over Providence Reds tonight and lifted them into third place in the American Hockey League standing.

Indianapolis scorers were Patterson with two, W. Thomson, Richard, McAtee and Jackson. For Providence they were A. Brown, Aubuchon, Kelly, Jones and Demarco.

KEN LINDSAY NOT FIGHTING

Vancouver Belter Will Not Perform on Card in Edmonton Ring

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20 (CP).—Kenny Lindsay, Canadian bantamweight boxing champion, said tonight he would not fight in the semi-final bout of the January 30 services fight card at Edmonton featuring Sergeant Dave Castilloux, of Montreal, and Private Al Lust, of Calgary, in the main event.

(Lindsay was commenting on an Edmonton dispatch last Saturday which quoted the R.C.A.F. officials as saying Lindsay would fight the semi-windup.)

"I am not going to fight in any semi-final spot," Lindsay said. "If they want me for a main event, I'll fight, but not otherwise."

Lindsay said he thought fighting as semi-finalist in Canada would detract from his drawing power in the United States where he plans to continue his campaigning after the war. He recently enlisted in the R.C.A.F. here.

EDMONTON, Jan. 20 (CP).—An officer in charge of the Sgt. Dave Castilloux-Pte. Al Lust services boxing card here January 30 said tonight that whether Kenny Lindsay, of Vancouver, Canadian bantamweight champion, appeared in a semi-final spot was "up to him."

"It's up to the lad himself," said Flt. Lieut. W. C. Goudie, member of the committee in charge of the show, commenting on a Vancouver story quoting Lindsay to the effect he would not fight in the semi-final. "He doesn't have to fight if he doesn't want to."

Lindsay, who recently joined the R.C.A.F., is en route here from Vancouver and is expected to arrive tomorrow.

Castilloux, of the R.C.A.F., Canadian welterweight champion, will meet Calgary's Pte. Al Lust, of the Army, in the ten-round main event for the welterweight title of the services. Proceeds of the card go to the R.C.A.F. and Army Benevolent Funds.

GRAPHIC GOLF

By BEST BALL

SAW VALUE OF PRACTICE

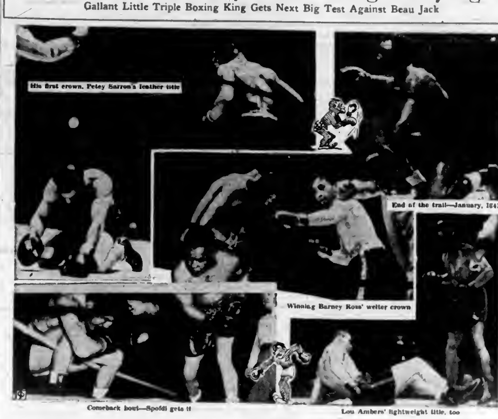
Walter Travis' penchant for painstaking practice, his care in gauging even the simplest shots, was looked at as something extraordinary, to say the least, back at the turn of the century. When Travis took up the game, he was well along in his thirties and he went at it with a determination that stood out in contrast with the usual happy-go-lucky way players regarded the sport at that time. Travis' mind and body was devoted to the task of mastering the game. No little item was overlooked, for on such matters the fate of a championship might hinge. For instance, he would figure out places over a championship terrain where his ball might land, and then practise shots from this exact spot for minutes on end. He carried an extra ball in his pocket on cold days, so that he might take advantage of the resiliency a warmer golf ball possessed, and thus pack a few yards on to his drive. He left his clubhead rust to gain a rougher contact and thereby exercised more control over the ball.

To the short game he gave hours of time. He was satisfied with nothing less than perfection, such an elusive and fickle quality in golf that it is doubtful if he ever were content, despite his many championships. Consequently he made his practice targets as difficult as possible. In putting, for instance, he would aim toward a diminutive three-inch cup instead of the regulation four-and-a-half-inch size. In so doing he cultivated an accurate stroke that, with a few exceptions, was consistently better than that of his opponent. Travis made practice pay.

(The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Comebacker: Henry Armstrong's Trying It

Gallant Little Triple Boxing King Gets Next Big Test Against Beau Jack



His first crown, Petey Sarron's feather title — End of the trail—January, 1941 — Winning Barney Ross' welter crown — Comeback bout—Spoldi gets it — Lou Ambers' lightweight title, too

By WALTER L. JOHNS
Central Press Canadian Sports Editor

IT was almost midnight that late March night in 1939 when New York newsmen gathered about Henry Armstrong, the "fistic man of the hour," to congratulate him on his knockout of Davey Day in the twelfth round to defend successfully his welterweight title for the sixth time.

"Hammerin' Hank," the dark dynamiter who had won three world's boxing titles in ten months, spoke his piece:

"I'll fight anybody, anytime, anywhere."

Not quite two years later, boxing writers gathered around Henry Armstrong after the gallant little fighting man again left the Madison Square Garden ring after twelve rounds. This time, however, Henry had been kayoed, beaten severely by Fritzie Zivic.

Perhaps Henry didn't say it, but if he had, the words would have been much the same except for the word "Won't," which he would have inserted after "I'll."

NOT THROUGH YET

Henry Armstrong, called the greatest fighting machine in boxing history, was through.

Little Henry, who had given up his feather title in 1938, who had lost his lightweight crown to Lou Ambers—the man he won it from—and who had lost his welter tiara to Fritzie Zivic the previous October, was a beaten man and his ring career over.

But was it? Henry Armstrong needed the money.

He underwent an operation on sensitive scar tissue around his eyes, which he complained bothered him when he retired, and given the okay by the California Boxing Commission, he began a remarkable comeback.

That was seven months ago. Henry has had sixteen fights since then. He has won all but one, his latest being a decision over Jimmy McDaniels in Los Angeles. Most of the fights have ended in technical knockouts for Henry. Included among his victims was Zivic, who had lifted Henry's crown and then had beaten him to a pulp.

Henry's pocketbook is bulging again, he having collected better than $135,000 since he began his comeback.

MEETS JACK NEXT

So today, gallant little Henry Armstrong stands on the threshold of ring greatness again. But first, Henry will undergo a tonsilectomy. Then he gets a real test, one that the experts fear might be the second last rung in his comeback climb or—the beginning of the end again.

The test is his scheduled fight February 16, with Beau Jack, the Atlanta shoe shine boy who is recognized (not by the N.B.A.) as lightweight champion.

Should Henry get by Jack, the next step would be a match with Sugar Ray Robinson, the No. 1 ring sensation of the day who is hailed as the "uncrowned" welterweight champion.

An Armstrong-Robinson bout in New York would draw, 'tis said, in the neighborhood of $80,000, with Henry getting himself a nice slice.

Some criticism has been levelled against gallant little Henry's comeback attempts, for fighters who fight as often as Henry did often wind up blind. They fear Henry's eyes may not be as good as they should be, and a continued ring career may cause untold damage.

"Hurricane" Hank's present manager, George P. Moore, is reported to have forwarded affidavits to the New York Athletic Commission establishing that the negro's fighting eyes are in good condition. The planned Armstrong-Jack bout is expected to gross more than $70,000 with each fighter reported down for 30 per cent.

RISE TO FAME

Henry Armstrong was born in St. Louis December 12, 1912, and began fighting there at the age of seventeen. He moved around a bit and finally wound up on the Coast. It was there he began his long climb to ring success. After the late Eddie Mead bought Henry's contract, the triple champion began to click.

One kayo after another made him famous. He was one of the busiest workmen ever to enter the ring. He could punch with both hands and hit mighty hard. His weaving, bobbing style was copied by amateurs everywhere, especially by young fighters of his own race.

He finally hit New York in 1937 and kayoed Mike Belloise in four rounds. Then he beat Aldo Spoldi. From then on he rung up one kayo after another until he met Petey Sarron in New York for the feather title. Henry biffed him out in six heats to win his first crown.

He added a little weight and in May, 1938, he met Barney Ross for Ross' welter title. Henry won it in fifteen rounds. Three months later Henry took Lou Ambers' lightweight crown.

The negro buzz-saw gave up his 135-pound title because he couldn't make the weight. He lost his 135-pound title to Ambers in a return match, but successfully defended his welter crown seventeen times before Zivic grabbed it in fifteen rounds late in 1940.

GROUP URGES FOOD MINISTRY

Three-Man Board Requested By Delegation of Farmers And Merchants

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 (CP).—Establishment of a Federal ministry of food with a food board to co-ordinate all agencies for production, processing, distribution and rationing has been urged on the Government by a twenty-four-man delegation representative of farmers, merchants and co-operative organizations.

The delegation's brief, presented to Cabinet Ministers this afternoon, said "some food shortages now are a reality" and that "further shortages are certain in the near future."

The delegation said its purpose was to "register our deep concern regarding the seriousness of the situation and to urge that efforts be made at once to secure a better procedure for formulating and administering food policies."

In urging a food ministry, the delegation said any division of authority between production and distribution aspects of the situation would make any plan unworkable. It was "imperative" that responsibility and authority for a complete food programme be vested in one ministry.

The suggested food board, said the delegation, should have three members. One would be chairman and the others administrators for production and for processing and distribution. The administrators should be "technically qualified" for their positions.

VARIOUS ASSISTANTS

"Functioning under the board there should be if the maximum results are to be obtained, various assistant administrators who also have had experience in their respective fields of production, processing and distribution," said the brief.

The plan for obtaining maximum food production and efficient distribution should assist in the control of prices, it is contended. It was assumed the Government would continue price-ceiling control over food and it was not suggested control over consumer prices should be taken from the Prices Board.

"It is urged therefore, that the authority of the Prices Board be confined to determining maximum consumer prices," said the brief.

"If and when the Food Board and the Minister of Food decide that such prices will not permit adequate production, processing and equitable distribution, they should have authority to determine what bonuses or subsidies should be paid and to make and administer such regulations as are consistent therewith."

One of the fundamentals of the plan was that it would provide direct contact between the food industry and those charged with administering the nation's food policy.

MEDICOS VACCINATED

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 2 (AP).—Thousands of doctors, nurses, patients and employees in Philadelphia hospitals were vaccinated against smallpox yesterday and today as the Pennsylvania Health Department reported eight new cases of the disease, bringing the total to forty-eight in an outbreak which developed two weeks ago.

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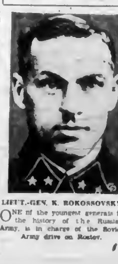

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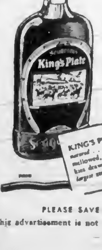

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SEEKS BOARD SEAT

Cecil Morris Parrott, 1066 Finlayson Street, a shipper, filed his nomination at the City Hall yesterday for a one-year school board term created by the resignation of Trustee J B McMillan. Mr Parrott's candidature was proposed by J H Saunders, 29 Cambridge Street, and seconded by W H Bland, Seacroft Apartments Nominations for the board seat must be in the hands of M P Hunter, returning officer, by 2 o'clock on the afternoon of January 28 The election, if necessary, will be held on February 4

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CRIME EXPERT IS DUE TODAY

Saanich Police to Be Assisted By Inspector Vance in Murder Case

Inspector J. F. C. Vance, Vancouver criminologist, will arrive here this morning to assist Saanich police in their investigation of the murder of Molly Justice, according to word received by Chief Josiah Bull. Detective David Donaldson, city fingerprint expert, is at present co-operating with the chief and Sergeant Eric Elwell.

Police found the mutilated body of the girl on Monday night lying beside the Canadian National Railways track two blocks from her home at 861 Brett Avenue, Saanich. She had been stabbed about twenty times, and hit on the head with some blunt object An inquest will be held after Inspector Vance has completed his investigation.

Chief Bull discounted a robbery motive in the murder, but admitted no trace had been found of a purse the girl was known to have carried when she alighted from a bus at Carey Road and University Street on the night of the crime Weather conditions, he said, had seriously hampered the search for clues in the vicinity.

NO SOUNDS HEARD

Although there is a dwelling 300 feet from the scene of the murder, the occupants told the chief they had heard no unusual sounds

Chief Bull and Sergeant Elwell yesterday questioned a large number of acquaintances of the murdered girl in the hope of securing information bearing on the case So far they have been unable to locate any person who saw her after she left the bus to take a short cut home along the railway track.

To allay nervousness created among parents and pupils by the crime, the Saanich School Board announced yesterday that Mount View High School will open at 8 30 o'clock and Mount Douglas High School at 8 15 o'clock in the morning This will allow pupils to proceed to their classes in daylight.

Members of 1943 Beaver Club Board

Shown above are the recently elected members of the Beaver Club board for 1943. The club is a social organization of Hudson's Bay Company employees. From left they are. Front, B. Greyette, F. V. Sellers, president; G. Schroeder, treasurer; back, W. Holborn, secretary; E. Pluto; H. Pellett, sports chairman, Miss E. Rodgers, social chairman; J. Chambers, vice-president; E. Brown; J. Bartleman.

BRITISH WRITER LIKES VICTORIA

Radio Commentator Chooses Vancouver Island as Outstanding Residential Area

Vancouver Island is chosen as the second finest locality in the world in which to live by Commander Campbell, B B C personality and guest writer of the "One-Man Brains Trust," a popular feature of The Strand Magazine, published in London.

Commander Campbell is loyal to his British birthplace as the world's ideal spot, but admits the worth of Vancouver Island.

"Were I compelled to choose a place outside Great Britain I should pick on Vancouver Island," he writes "It has a climate which I consider is even better than our own. A fine bright Summer is followed by a crisp, not-too-cold Winter"

"A sportsman can almost live on his rod and gun," he continues. "I have shot deer twenty-five miles outside of Victoria, and have set off in a boat before breakfast and hooked four or five seven-pound salmon With a small pension one could live very happily on Vancouver Island"

Commander Campbell joined the Merchant Service of Great Britain in 1901 and served throughout the Great War with the Royal Naval Reserve

NANAIMO FARMER WAS VETERAN OF BOER WAR

Captain Joseph Verling Edward Carpenter, a veteran of the Boer War, died yesterday at his farm on Jingle Pot Road near Nanaimo A native of Ireland, he was seventy-seven years of age

He served with the Strathcona Horse in South Africa and arrived in Nanaimo from Edmonton twenty-five years ago

Surviving besides his widow are two sons Terence Edward, in Nanaimo and Joseph Verling R C A F, New Brunswick and one daughter Mrs Mervyn Wilkinson, Cedar District

Court of Appeal

Victoria Sittings

An appeal from a judgment of Judge Whiteside in Annie Cunningham, plaintiff-respondent vs Nick Pittson, defendant-appellant, was concluded yesterday morning with judgment being reserved until Monday next J D McPhee appeared for appellant and A Hugo Ross for the respondent

The plaintiff on January 8 1942 while driving on Douglas Road in Westminster County collided with the defendant's delivery truck and recovered judgment in the sum of $267 The defendant appealed and claimed he was not negligent

In the afternoon the court was occupied with the appeal titled In the matter of the Companies Act, and between Ajak Holdings Ltd, respondent and Champion & White appellant Donald Donaghy, K C, appeared for appellant, and C H Locke K C for the respondent

This is an appeal from the judgment of Mr Justice Coady pronounced November 20 1942 whereby the petition of the respondent from an order that the register of members of Champion & White Ltd be rectified by entering in the said register the name Ajak Holdings Ltd as the owners of 2,006 shares of its capital stock was granted, and the appellant was directed to pay the respondent's costs

It appeared the respondent under power of attorney came into possession of these shares and in pursuance to the articles of association of the appellant company offered the shares for sale to it or its members No reply was received to the letter of offer and the shares were subsequently sold elsewhere

The appeal is based on grounds amongst others that the articles of association had not been complied with and that entering action by petition was not the proper procedure

Peremptory list Ajak Holdings Ltd vs Champion & White (at bar), Eggins vs Beechey.

City and District

Fire Damage — Victor Leigh secured a $400 city building permit yesterday to repair fire damage to a house at 1166 Yates Street.

One Offender — Theodore J. R Waters was fined $18 and $2 50 costs in Provincial Police court yesterday for exceeding the dim-out speed limit of fifteen miles per hour.

Keep Walks Cleared—An appeal was made by the city engineer last night to all Victoria citizens, asking them to keep their sidewalks swept clear

Charge Dropped — A charge of vagrancy against Richard Albert Brooks was dropped yesterday in the city police court at the suggestion of Claude L. Harrison, city prosecutor.

Pruning Postponed—The fruit tree pruning demonstration, sponsored by the Victoria Horticultural Society and scheduled to take place yesterday, has been postponed until some day next week.

Feed Birds—Suggestions have been received at the City Hall that citizens feed the birds during inclement weather by setting out bacon rind, scraps of fat, bread crumbs and crusts on plates or pieces of cardboard so they may be readily seen

Seeks Sign—In a letter received at the City Hall yesterday from Mrs R Palenaude, 603 Superior Street, it was suggested that a school slow sign be placed at Government and Michigan Streets for the benefit of a kindergarten located there and also for South Park School

Eggs Prices—A two-cent increase in the prices of all sizes of grade "A" eggs effective today, was reported by William Hagger Dominion egg inspector. The new prices are as follows To producer, large, 32c, medium 30c; pullet, 27c, wholesaler to retailer, large, 36c, medium, 34c; pullet, 31c.

Narcotic Case — Charles Bryan Codd, represented by Joseph McKenna, was charged yesterday in the city police court with possessing morphine on January 6 Bail was set at $1,000, and the accused remanded until Friday to set a date for trial

Five Fined — Two motorists were each fined $2 50 yesterday in the city police court for parking over the hour limit. Another paid a $5 fine for ignoring a stop sign. Paul E Boileau was fined $10 for driving without masked headlights during a dim-out on January 9 A man who failed to apply for a radio licence was fined $1 and $2 50 costs.

TAX COLLECTIONS LARGE LAST YEAR

Figures Show 91.354 of Current Levy On Land and Improvements Received at City Hall

Figures released yesterday by D A Macdonald city comptroller and treasurer showed that $1,323,708 or 91.354 per cent of the $1,448,985 tax levy, was collected last year The City Council budgeted on an estimated return of 89 per cent Collection last year approached 1912, when 87.24 per cent of the levy on property and improvements was received

By last December 31 the city had collected $92,164, or 58.58 per cent of the $157,291 outstanding in taxes one year in arrears The amount of 56.07 per cent was received in 1941.

An amount of $82,640, or 78.37 per cent of the $105,443 outstanding in taxes two years in arrears, was received last year. In 1941 the amount received was 71.64 per cent

Promoted to Deputy Flight Commander

FLIGHT LIEUT JACK HUDSON

SON of Mr and Mrs Charles Hudson 2012 Oak Bay Ave, has recently been promoted from pilot officer following his appointment as deputy flight-commander in the French-Canadian bomber squadron overseas, according to information received from the R C A F Flight Lieut Hudson was born in Zealandia Saskatchewan in 1918 and came to Victoria with his parents in 1923 After attending Willows and Oak Bay High Schools he went to Eastern Canada, and was graduated from Ontario Agricultural College He joined the R C A F in October, 1940 and arrived overseas a year later.

P.O. ARTHUR DAVIES LEAVES AFTER BRIEF FURLOUGH IN VICTORIA

P O Arthur Davies son of Arthur Davies, 3034 Colquitz Avenue, has returned to duty after a short furlough in the city A former aircraftman, he won his commission recently He enlisted in the R C A F in January, 1942

Born in Victoria twenty-two years ago he attended Oak Bay High School and Victoria College In 1937 he won for his high school the honor of first place in Victoria district in junior matriculation examinations, winning a Royal Institution scholarship of $150

His father served with the Royal Canadian Artillery in the first Great War, winning the Military Medal, and two uncles were killed overseas

INFORMATION SOUGHT

Provincial Police headquarters here seek information regarding Mr and Mrs John Brown, who left Restalrig Edinburgh Scotland about forty-five years ago and settled on Vancouver Island where they took up land and John Brown afterward worked at the carpenter trade

Mrs Brown's maiden name was MacGregor she had a brother William C MacGregor a retired minister residing at Restalrig Edinburgh

Mrs Brown later returned to Edinburgh (date unknown) to see a doctor as she had something wrong with her throat

Inquiries are being made by Mrs Catherine McFarlane 712 Fifth Avenue Havre Montana, U S A, who is a niece of Mrs John Brown

NO COMPULSION

KITCHENER, Ont Jan 20 (CP) — Major-General B W Browne director-general of Canada's Reserve Army, said in an address here Tuesday that it is not the policy, at the present time at least to introduce compulsory service for the Reserve Army For the present, anyway we can carry on as we are he told a service club (Kiwanis) luncheon meeting.

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Obituary

ARMSTRONG — Funeral services for John C Armstrong were held at the Thomson Funeral Home yesterday at 2 p.m., with Rev Dr W J Sipprell officiating and remains were forwarded last night to Peterborough, Ont for interment

GATES — Funeral services for Mrs Alice Harriet Gates will be conducted tomorrow at 2 p m. from the chapel of Sands Mortuary, Limited Rev J. C Jackson will officiate and interment will take place in Royal Oak Burial Park

WHITE — Funeral services for Paul White, three-month-old son of Mr and Mrs H R White 1903 Quadra Street will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 30 in the chapel of Sands Mortuary, Limited Canon F. A P Chadwick will officiate and interment will take place at Colwood.

LUCAS — Funeral services for Charles Henry Lucas were held yesterday afternoon in the chapel of Sands Mortuary, Limited Rev F Comley conducted the services, during which Mrs. M H Nash rendered the solo, "Crossing the Bar" The following acted as pallbearers: Capt W B McKay, Capt A E Evans, G Jones W H Mitchell, J. McGrath and C Williamson. Interment was in the Esquimalt Military Cemetery.

BRYANT—Funeral services for Mrs Elizabeth Bryant were held yesterday afternoon in the chapel of Sands Mortuary, Limited Rev John Turner Rev Dr A D Reid and Rev. Mr Peatt conducted the services The following acted as pallbearers James, Thomas and Vernon Bryant, Arthur and Percy Corry and W T Almond Interment was in the family plot in Colwood Burial Park

GILLON—The funeral of John Gillon will be held from Hayward's B C Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev William Allan officiating, and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park

ANDREWS — Many friends attended the funeral service for Mrs Louise Susanne Andrews held yesterday afternoon in Hayward's B C Funeral Chapel Rev R C S Devenish officiated The following were pallbearers A Bromley W F Adams J S Adams and J R Saunders Following the service cremation took place at Royal Oak

STOREY — Funeral services for Mrs Alice Emma Storey were conducted in McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon Rev. Hugh A McLeod conducted the services The following were pallbearers S Strange, E S Hall H Pearson and A McPherson Interment took place in the family plot in the Colwood Burial Park

MATTHEWS—There was a large congregation present at the funeral services for Mrs Emma Matthews held in St Andrew's Church Sidney Canon T M Hughes of Quamichan and Rev C A Sutton conducted the services Interment was made in the family plot at the Royal Oak Burial Park with the following as pallbearers F M Lines D. Sparling H Kershaw, J A, Kirkpatrick, R B Brethour and G. W. Morrey. McCall Bros, funeral directors, were in charge of the arrangements.

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F. A. E Manning representing the steel committee of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, met in Vancouver yesterday with civic officials of the Lower Mainland to study a brief urging the British Columbia Government to spur the establishment of a steel mill on the Pacific Coast.

Others present at the meeting were Mayor J W Cornett, of Vancouver, and Mayor V B Harrison, of Nanaimo

MEETING POSTPONED

The Saanich Farmers' Institute meeting scheduled for tonight has been postponed until next month.

Announcements

Just Arrived From England—New shipment fleece-lined Kid Gloves McMartin's Leather Goods, 718 Yates. G 6613.

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AROUND the DIAL

For last minute programme changes on the C.B.C. Network listen to "For Our Listeners" every day at 12:25 p.m.—just before the news.

8:00 A.M.—News (CJVI, CBR, CJOR, CKWX).
Voices (KOMO)
Everyman's Chapel (KJR)
Radio Parade (KIRO)
Haven of Rest (KOL)

8:15 A.M.—Sunrise Serenade (CJVI).
Master Musicians (CBR)
News (KOMO, CKWN)
Breakfast Club (KJR).
Valiant Lady (KIRO)
Ranch Boys (CJOR)

8:30 A.M.—Front Line Family (CBR).
Victor Lindlahr (KOMO)
Kitty Foyle (KIRO).
News (KOL)
Bob Browne's Breakfast Club (CJOR)
Musical Clock (CKWX)

8:45 A.M.—Sacred Meditations (CJVI)
Good Morning Neighbor (CBR)
David Harum (KOMO)
Daily Viewpoint (KJR)
Aunt Jenny's Real Life Stories (KIRO)
Concert Hall (KOL)
News (CKWN).

9:00 A.M.—Rhapsody in Rhythm (CJVI)
B.B.C. News (CBR)
The O'Neill's (KOMO)
Kate Smith Speaks (KIRO)
Hooke Carter (KOL)
Sing In (CJOR
Variety (CKWX

9:15 A.M.—Bulletin Board (CJVI)
Big Sister (CBR, KIRO).
Words and Music (KOMO).
Joan Brooks, music (KJR).
Read the Bible (KOL)
News (CJOR)
Cannery Corner (CKWN)

9:30 A.M.—Lucy Linton (CBR)
Helen Trent (KIRO)
Ted Steele (KOMO)
Breakfast at Sardi's (KJR)
Music (KOL)
Master Singers (CJOR
Betty and Bob (CKWX)

9:45 A.M.—Second Concert (CBR)
Novelty Time (KOMO)
Our Gal Sunday (KIRO)
Songs of the West (KOL)
Lucky Listening (CJOR

10:00 A.M.—Betty and Bob (CJVI)
Morning Visit (CBR)
School Broadcast (KOMO)
Neighbors Talking (KJR)
Life Can Be Beautiful (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Lucky Listening (CJOR
Black & Megants (CKWX)

10:15 A.M.—Stars of the Week (CJVI)
The Happy Gang (CBR)
Andy and Virginia (KJR)
Ma Perkins (KIRO)
Don Isiam (KOL)
Chuck Foster (CJOR)
Good Morning Neighbor (CKWN

10:30 A.M.—News (CJVI, KOL)
Mary Lee Taylor (KOMO)

Radio Highlights

6:45—Recital. CBR.
9:00—Major Bowes. KIRO.
6:00—Bing Crosby. KOMO, KPO.
6:30—Stage Door Canteen. KIRO.
7:00—Abbott and Costello. KOMO, KPO.
7:30—March of Time. KPO, KOMO.
8:00—Symphony Hour CJVI.
8:30—Stag Party. CBR.
9:00—Blighty Programme CJVI.
9:00—Aldrich Family KPO KOMO.
9:30—"Song of Sixpence," Gale Page CJVI.
9:30—Sophisticated Strings. CBR.

Great Melody (KJR)
Vic and Sade (KIRO)
Harmony in Color (CJOR)

10:45 A.M.—Claire Wallace, "They Tell Me" (CBR, CJVI)
Dr. Kate (KOMO)
Melody (KJR)
The Goldbergs (KIRO)
Orchestra (KOL)
News (CJOR)
Meet the Stars (CKWX

11:00 A.M.—Make Mine Music (CJVI)
Hans Lawson's Knights (CBR)
Light of the World (KOMO)
Sank Lawson's Knights (KJR)
Young Dr. Malone (KIRO)
Cedric Foster (KOL)
The Goldbergs (CJOR)
Concert Caravan (CKWN)

11:15 A.M.—Lonely Women (KOMO).
Mystery Chef (CBR, KJR)
Joyce Jordan (KIRO)
Steered for Listening (KOL)
Life Can Be Beautiful (CJOR)
Will Beede, a Notebook (CKWX)

11:30 A.M.—Soldier's Wife (CJVI, CBR)
Guiding Light (KOMO)
News (KJR)
We Love and Learn (KIRO)
Carroll Carter (KOL)
Vic and Sade (CJOR)
"They Tell Me" (CKWN)

11:45 A.M.—Club Dairy (CJVI)
Hollywood News Girl (CBR)
Hymns of All Churches (KOMO)
Home and Garden Notebook (KJR
News (KIRO)
Short Stories (KOL)
Studio Party, News (CJOR).
The Little Show (CKWX)

12:00 Noon—Buccaneers (CJVI)
B.C. Farm Broadcast (CBR)
Mary Marlin (KOMO)
Three R's (KJR)
Consumer Report (KIRO)
News (KOL).
Stars of the Week (CJOR)

12:05 P.M.—News (CKWN

12:10 P.M.—Songs (KIRO)

12:15 P.M.—Novatime (CJVI
Ma Perkins (KOMO)
News (KIRO)
Christian Business Men (KOL)
Voice of Memory (CJOR)
Concert Music (CKWX

12:30 P.M.—News (CJVI, CJOR, CBR, KIRO)
Pepper Young (KOMO
Between the Bookends (KJR)
Music for Moderns (CKWX)

12:45 P.M.—Luncheon Varieties (CJVI)
Mid-day Matinee (CBR)
Right to Happiness (KOMO)
Music Box (KJR)
Bachelor's Children (KIRO)
Listen and Sing (KOL)
Ballad Music (CJOR

1:00 P.M.—Nick Lucas (CJVI)
C.B.R. Presents (CBR
Backstage Wife (KOMO)
Club Matinee (KJR
Orlen Drake (KIRO)
Tom, Dick and Harry (KOL)
Famous Voices, News (CJOR
Life Can Be Beautiful (CKWN)

1:15 P.M.—Harcourt and Hall (CJVI)
Talk (CBR)
Stella Dallas (KOMO)
Newsreel (KIRO)
Design for Women (CJOR)
Bond of Life (CKWX)

1:30 P.M.—Songs (CJVI)
Beyond Reasonable Doubt (CBR)
Lorenzo Jones (KOMO
[illegible] (KJR)
School of the Air (KIRO
Red, White and Blue (CKWX

1:45 P.M.—Pinto Pete (CJVI)
Young Widder Brown (KOMO).
Soldier's Wife (CJOR).

1:55 P.M.—News (KJR)

2:00 P.M.—Melody Time (CJVI)
B.C. School Broadcast (CBR).
When a Girl Marries (KOMO).
Baby Institute (KJR)
Housewives, Inc. (KIRO).
Sheila Carter (KOL)
Billy Browne's Breezies (CJOR)
It's Topical (CKWX)

2:15 P.M.—Portia Faces Life (KOMO).
Classy Calling (KJR).
Newsreel Theatre (KOL)

2:25 P.M.—News (CJOR)

2:30 P.M.—Music Lovers' Corner (CJVI)
School of the Air (CBR)
Just Plain Bill (KOMO).
Singing Strings (KJR)
Pledge Allegiance (KIRO)
Are You a Genius (KOL)
Melodies (CJOR).
Music Lovers' Corner (CKWX)

2:45 P.M.—Tales From Far and Near (CBR)
Front Page Farrell (KOMO)
Little Jack Little (KJR)
Ben Bernie (KIRO)
They Tell Me (CJOR)

3:00 P.M.—Western Five (CBR)
The Road of Life (KOMO).
News (KJR)
U.S. Navy (KIRO)
Prayer, Philip Keene Gordon (KOL)
Random Notes, News (CJOR)
Victory Club (CKWN)

3:15 P.M.—Vic and Sade (KOMO).
Souvenirs of Song (CBR).
Organ (KJR)
Sermonica (KIRO)
Music, Captain Senisle (KOL).
Ma Perkins (CJOR).

3:30 P.M.—Fiedler Conducts (CBR)
Snow Village (KOMO)
Earl Wrightson (KJR)
Voices (KOL)
Overseas Report (KOL)
Pepper Young (CJOR)
Music (CKWX).

3:45 P.M.—Church in the Wildwood (CJVI)
B.B.C. News (CBR)
Judy and Jane (KOMO)
Pause in Melody (KJR)
The World Today (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Snow Village (CJOR

4:00 P.M.—Hoffman's Singers (CJVI)
Fishan Quintette (CBR)
Star Parade (KOMO)
News, Army-Navy (KJR)
Singing Organist (KIRO)
Fulton Lewis (KOL)
Wendell Hall (CJOR).
Blighty (CKWX)

4:15 P.M.—Recital (CBR)
Adventures in Hollywood (KOMO)
Newsreel (KIRO)
Johnson Family (KOL)
Concert Moderne (CJOR)

4:30 P.M.—Hits of the Week (CJVI)
Singing Strings (CBR)
Tay Sweetland (KOMO)
Serenade (KJR)
Easy Aces (KIRO)
Confidentially Yours (KOL)
Organ Spotlight (CKWX)

4:45 P.M.—In the News (CBR)
Organ (KOMO)
Mr. Keen (KIRO)
Melody Supplement (KOL)
News (CJOR, KJR)
Novelty Jamboree (CKWX)

5:00 P.M.—Musicaries (CJVI)
News, Voice of Victory (CBR)
Musical Jewel Box (KOMO).
Terry of the Pirates (KJR).
Job Finder (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Carson Robinson (CJOR)
Music for Youth (CKWX

5:15 P.M.—News (KOMO)
The Sea Hound (KJR)
Pledge Allegiance (KOL
Mother Hubbard (CJOR)
Uncle Billy Hassell (CKWX)

5:30 P.M.—Crimson Trail (CJVI)
Music (CBR)
Music (KOMO)
Jack Armstrong (KJR)
News (KIRO, CJOR)
Sermon Nesbitt (KOL)
Trail of Truth (CKWX)

5:45 P.M.—A to Z in Song (CJVI)
By the Way (KOMO)
Captain Midnight (KJR
News (KIRO)
Singing Sam (KOL)
Club 800 (CJOR)
Speed Gibson (CKWX

5:55 P.M.—Cecil Brown (KIRO)

6:00 P.M.—News (CJVI
Recital (CBR).
Music Hall (KOMO)
Hop Harrison (KJR)
Major Bowes (KIRO)
Gabriel Heatter (KOL).
Newbridge (CJOR)
Musicale (CKWX

6:15 P.M.—In Town Tonight (CJVI)
News (KJR, KOL)

6:30 P.M.—Dinner Dance (CJVI)
Mexicana (CBR)
Bob Burns (KOMO)
Spotlight Bands (KJR)
Stage Door Canteen (KIRO)
Curtain, America (KOL)
Dinner Quiz (CJOR)

6:45 P.M.—Lost Empire (CJOR
Album of Yesterday (CKWX)

7:00 P.M.—Hour of Remembrance CJVI
News (CBR, CKWN
Abbott and Costello (KOMO)
Raymond Gram Swing (KJR)

CJVI Newscasts

8:00 A.M.
10:30 A.M.
12:30 P.M.
9:00 P.M.
10:30 P.M.

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The First Line (KIRO)
Raymond Clapper (KOL)
Leo Nicholson (CJOR)

7:15 P.M.—Music (CJVI)
Concert Hour (CBR)
Gracie Fields (KJR)
Washington and the War (KOL)
News Time (CJOR)
Musical Moments (CKWX).

7:30 P.M.—Music (CJVI)
March of Time (KOMO)
Red Ryder (KJR).
Music (KIRO)
Mile o' Dimes (KOL)
Don Wilson (CJOR)
Singing Stars (CKWX)

7:45 P.M.—News (KIRO).
Rhythm (CKWX).

8:00 P.M.—Rhythm (CJVI).
B.B.C. Radio Newsreel (CBR)
Fred Waring's Orchestra (KOMO)
Watch the World Go By (KJR)
Amos and Andy (KIRO)
Theatre of the Air (KOL)
Rhythm (CJOR).
News (CKWX).

8:15 P.M.—Dance Time (CJVI)
Night Editor (KOMO).
Lum and Abner (KJR)
Music Makers (KIRO)
News (CJOR)
Serenade (CKWX)

8:30 P.M.—Rhapsody (CJVI)
Stag Party (CBR)
Coffee Time (KOMO)
Dr. Washington (KJR)
Death Valley Days (KIRO).
Pops in Review (KOL)
Blue Beetle (CJOR)
Telequiz (CKWX)

8:45 P.M.—Band (CJOR)

8:55 P.M.—Organ (KJR)
News (KIRO)

9:00 P.M.—Revuedeville (CJVI)
Drama (CBR)
Aldrich Family (KOMO).
John Freedom (KJR)
Organ Orchestra (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Radio Rascals (CJOR)
Hits of the Week (CKWX).

9:15 P.M.—Carroll Carley (KOL)

9:30 P.M.—Academy Award (CJVI)
Songs of Empire (CBR)
Ellery Queen (KOMO)
News (KJR)
Star Parade (KIRO).
Dance Time (KOL)
Health League (CJOR)
Cavalcade of Music (CKWN)

9:45 P.M.—Orchestra (KJR
The Old Songs (KOL
100,000,000 Questions (KIRO)
Piano (CJOR)
Jerry Sears (CKWN

9:55 P.M.—News (KJR)

10:00 P.M.—Let's Dance (CJVI)
C.B.C. News (CBR)
News (KOMO, CKWX)
America's Town Meeting (KJR)
News, Orchestra (KIRO)
Washington State Reporter (KOL)
Lois Lamont (CJOR)

10:10 P.M.—Elmore Philpott, News (CBR)

10:15 P.M.—Pinto Pete (CJVI).
A Western Voice (CBR
A Letter From Home (KOMO)
News (KIRO, KOL)
Weaver of Dreams (CKWN)

10:30 P.M.—News (CJVI)
Orchestra (KOMO)
Symphony (KOL)
Embassy Ballroom (CJOR
Memories of Hawaii (CKWN)

10:35 P.M.—Orchestra (CBR)

10:45 P.M.—Out of the Night (CJVI)
Orchestra (CBR
Pledge Allegiance (KIRO)
At Close of Day (CKWX)

10:55 P.M.—News (KOMO)

11:00 P.M.—Christmas in Camp (CJVI)
Orchestra (CBR)
Evening Reveries (KOMO).
This Moving World (KJR)
Public Affairs (KIRO)
Starred for Listening (KOL)
Concert Hour (CJOR)
Anything Goes (CKWX)

11:15 P.M.—Concert Hall (KJR
Orchestra (KOL)
Orchestra (KIRO

11:25 P.M.—News (CBR)

11:30 P.M.—Orchestra (CBR
Star Parade (KOMO
Wings of Victory (KJR)
Easy Listening (KIRO
Orchestra (KOL

11:45 P.M.—News (KOMO
News (KOL
News for Alaska (KIRO)

11:55 P.M.—News (CJOR)
Overseas Report (KOL)

12:00 P.M.—Midnight Mass (CJVI)

Key Station Frequencies

VICTORIA—
CJVI (1480).
VANCOUVER—
CBR (1130) CJOR (600)
CKWX (980)
SEATTLE—
KIRO (710) KOMO (950),
KJR (1000) KOL (1300)
K** (770)
SAN FRANCISCO—
KPO (680)
OAKLAND—
KGO (810)

Dorothy May Walker, twenty, at Stratford England, was fined $9 for being persistently late for her work in an essential industry and, having been convicted she became liable for a daily penalty of $22.50 for every day she was late. She was seven or eight minutes late on twenty-six days out of forty-one

LOST WORK THROUGH RHEUMATIC PAINS

After 30 Years on Railway

It was little short of a tragedy to this railway worker to have to give up his job after 30 years. But his rheumatic pains were so bad that he had no choice—he could only walk with a cane. The advice of a friend led to his taking Kruschen Salts—and he went on taking it until he was able to go back to work again. This is the story in his own words:

"For three years I had rheumatic pains very badly and had to walk with a cane. Also I had to give up my job as a railway shunter, after 30 years in the Yard. I was advised by a lady to try Kruschen Salts, and I gave it a fair trial. I found it was doing me good, and continued until I was relieved. To-day I am in the best of health and am back at work again. I cannot praise Kruschen Salts too much."—W. T.

Rheumatic pains are often due to the presence of poisons and excess uric acid in the system. The six salts in Kruschen stimulate the liver and kidneys to healthy, regular action and assist them to get rid of those harmful impurities from the system.

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Big Increase in Railway Revenues

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 (CP)—Gross revenues of Canadian railways last October, as reported today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, amounted to $61,281,447 compared with $51,229,250 in October, 1941. Peak revenues of $61,871,271 were established in October, 1928.

Operating revenues of Canadian lines of the Canadian National Railways increased to $32,128,400 in October from $25,106,932 in 1941. Operating expenses rose to $24,346,400 from $19,737,678, and the operating income increased to $8,280,271 from $4,775,337. Freight traffic was 17.5 per cent heavier and passenger traffic was up by 45.4 per cent.

Gross revenues of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company amounted to $22,977,495 compared with $21,728,490 in 1941, and the operating income declined to $5,718,182 from $5,937,888 in 1941. Passenger traffic increased by 61.5 per cent, but freight traffic measured in revenue ton miles decreased by 7.8 per cent, and freight revenues were down by $492,940 or 2.8 per cent.

LONDON (CP)—To end a shortage of "clippies," girls of eighteen have been asked to volunteer as bus conductresses.

POOR HORSE

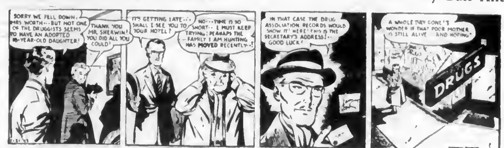
William Howard Taft derived considerable amusement from the laughter of his friends respecting his more than adequate bulk, and never hesitated to lay himself open to their levity.

Once in the Philippines, he cabled to Secretary Root: "Took long horseback ride today. Feeling fine."

Promptly Root cabled back "How is the horse?"

SUPERMAN — Stuck! — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen



POPEYE

MUTT AND JEFF — High Finance in the Mutt Family — By Bud Fisher

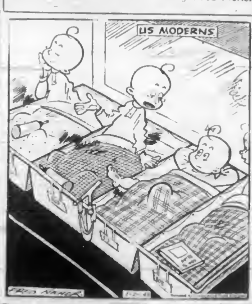
POP — Doubling Up — By J. Millar Watt

FLYIN' JENNY — Escape? — By Keaton and Chaffin

THE NEBBS — Love at First Sight — By HESS

BLONDIE — Bloodhounds Off the Scent — By Chic Young

LIFE'S LIKE THAT — By Fred Neher



"They say this generation is going to learn to walk . . . with the tire and gas rationing, and all"

QUICKIES

"I'm not hinting for a raise—but I admit I have been reading the Colonist Want Ads"

FAMOUS PLAYERS THEATRES

STARTS TODAY
FOR 3 DAYS
At 12:00, 6:22, 6:32, 8:30
A TOPPER! In Fun . . . in Laughs! Wowing the English Girls With Woo-woo!
MICKEY ROONEY
in
"A YANK AT ETON"
with EDMUND GWEN · IAN HUNTER · FREDDIE BARTHOLOMEW
ALSO—THE ALL AMERICAN DANCE BAND
"SYNCOPATION"
With ADOLPHE MENJOU
JACKIE COOPER · BONITA GRANVILLE
ATLAS

At 12:46, 3:46, 6:46, 9:46 ENDS TODAY! At 8:20, 8:30, 8:30
BURGESS MEREDITH CLAIRE TREVOR in 'Street of Chance'
Ray McDonald "Rags" Ragland Virginia Weidler in "Born to Sing"

STARTS TOMORROW! FOR 3 DAYS!
ROMANCE! ACTION! HUMOR!
12:00 to 1:30 24c Tax Inc.
AN AUTHENTIC ACCOUNT OF BRITAIN'S MASS AIR RAIDS ON GERMANY
FLYING FORTRESS
RICHARD GREENE
(Thru courtesy of the British Army)
CARLA LEHMANN
PLUS
A Hot And Cutie Ralph Ellery Born!
"A DESPERATE CHANCE FOR ELLERY QUEEN"
With William Gargan Margaret Lindsay
DOMINION

LAST TIMES TODAY At 10:41, 2:34, 5:07, 7:00, 9:00
THE NAVY COMES THROUGH
with PAT O'BRIEN
GEORGE MURPHY

SPECIAL STAGE ATTRACTION!
TOMORROW and SATURDAY
2 DAYS ONLY — 4 SHOWS DAILY
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Capitol
ON THE SCREEN
"Manila Calling"
With LLOYD NOLAN

At the Theatres

HILARIOUS FARCE NOW AT OAK BAY

Happy, hilarious laughter is said to be the major purpose of "This Thing Called Love," Columbia's outrageously riotous comedy, opening today at the Oak Bay Theatre, with Rosalind Russell and Melvyn Douglas starred, and directed by Alexander Hall.

A merry melee of marriage and morals, "This Thing Called Love" is played by a topnotch cast which includes, in addition to its stars Binnie Barnes, Allyn Joslyn, Lee J Cobb, Gloria Holden, Gloria Dickson, Don Beddoe and Paul McGrath. The new film is based upon Edwin Burke's play, as produced on Broadway by Patterson McNutt. The screen play was written by George Seaton, Ken Englund and P J Wolfson, three of Hollywood's finest masters of dialogue and comedy.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—Mickey Rooney in "A Yank at Eton."

Cadet—"Charley's Aunt," starring Jack Benny.

Capitol — "The Navy Comes Through," with Pat O'Brien and George Murphy.

Dominion — "Street of Chance," starring Claire Trevor and Burgess Meredith.

Oak Bay—Melvyn Douglas and Rosalind Russell in "This Thing Called Love."

Plaza—"Jacare," nature film by Frank Buck.

Rio—"Sweetheart of the Campus," with Ruby Keeler and Ozzie Nelson.

York — Victor Mature and Betty Grable in "Song of the Islands."

"YANK AT ETON" COMES TO ATLAS

Mickey Rooney proves again why he is Hollywood's No. 1 star in "A Yank at Eton," the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer film which opens today at the Atlas Theatre. The picture has been acclaimed as another triumph for the inimitable Rooney.

As a typical American boy in England's most exclusive school Mickey has some of the most hilarious scenes of his film career, and some of the most dramatic. He plays American football and English cricket. He runs a steeplechase. He leads twelve little Eton boys in a slapstick brawl with four husky waiters of a roadside inn. And he licks the Eton bully.

In short, there isn't much that Mickey doesn't do.

TRUE JUNGLE FEATURE HELD OVER AT PLAZA

Unless you are a zoologist of the "bring 'em back alive" school, a big game hunter with gun and camera, a talent hunt through the jungles of the Amazon would hardly be your dish. Weeks of tropical storms, hours hacking away through impenetrable underbrush, chance encounters with nightmarish beasts were the lot of James Danaldson, twenty-six-year-old protege of Frank Buck, who beat his way into the interior of Brazil to find the monster who takes the title role in the exciting adventure film, "Jacare," the new United Artists release which has been held over at the Plaza Theatre.

The animal, called the jacare or cayman—and the terror of the Amazon—is rarely seen by humans, let alone roped, photographed and captured.

Mickey's New Sweetheart

Mickey Rooney and His Latest Screen Sweetheart, Tina Thayer, Who Are Starred in "A Yank at Eton," Which Will Open Today at the Atlas Theatre.

CLEVER BENNY FARCE APPEARING AT CADET

Jack Benny turns glamour girl in the title role of 20th Century-Fox's "Charley's Aunt," which opens today at the Cadet Theatre.

As the fellow who masquerades as a woman to help out his chums, Benny is said to give the most hilarious performance of his long career on the stage, radio and screen.

Kay Francis and James Ellison head the featured cast, which also includes Edmund Gwenn, Anne Baxter, Reginald Owen, Arleen Whelan, Laird Cregar, Ernest Cossart, Richard Haydn and Morton Lowry.

Active Service Claims Two More

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 (CP)—Royal Canadian Navy headquarters announced tonight that one man has died on active service and another is missing on active service.

In its 144th casualty list of the war, the navy reported that A.B. Stanley Owen, of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, has died on active service. His next of kin was listed as a friend, Mrs. Jean McIntosh, of Toronto.

The announcement said that "according to reports received from overseas this rating died on November 11 or 12, 1942, following a bombing attack on the ship in which he was serving. It is believed that he lost his life in the North African operations."

Stoker P.O. James Henry McCappin, of the R.C.N.V.R., was reported missing on active service. His next of kin was listed as his wife, Mrs. Mary A. McCappin, of Toronto.

Collision Sends Loaded Fishboat Algie to Bottom

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20 (CP)—British Columbia Packers' largest fishboat, Algie, sank in the Strait of Georgia last night after colliding with the company's fishboat Koprino.

At first it was thought neither boat had suffered damage, but the Algie developed a leak the pumps could not handle and the crew was forced to abandon her. The Algie was commanded by Capt. Arthur Balkwill.

Loaded with 200 tons of herring, the Algie was bound for Steveston when the collision occurred. The Algie's crew of six was picked up by Nelson Bros. fishboat Western Princess.

It is believed the Koprino in the collision removed part of the Algie's sheathing.

TUNEFUL ROMANCE OPENING AT RIO

Ruby Keeler tap dances her way to a spectacular new screen fame in Columbia's rhythm-packed "Sweetheart of the Campus," which opens today at the Rio Theatre. Lovely Harriet Hilliard, Ozzie Nelson and his band, and Gordon Oliver are others who contribute to the romance and good humor.

"Sweetheart of the Campus" deals with the collegiate capers of a night club which literally takes over the institution of higher education to replace readin' and ritin' with joviality and jive!

Against the tuneful background of seven hit tunes "Sweetheart of the Campus" unfolds a pleasing story of young romance. Miss Keeler appears as the night club's dancing star, Nelson as its band leader.

MAJOR BOWES' REVUE COMING TO CAPITOL

Major Bowes' Amateurs appearing in person will be the stage attraction at the Capitol Friday and Saturday. Variety will be much in evidence in the various acts staged by these clever youngsters, whose versatility in entertainment is outstanding. This unit, known as the Eighth Anniversary Revue, is one of the best of the Major's road shows and includes such popular favorites as the Three Acrobatic Sweethearts, Bill Williams, Swiss bell ringer, Joy Alan, songstress and many others.

On the screen, Lloyd Nolan in "Manila Calling" will be the feature.

DOMINION THEATRE. As spine tingling a bit of suspense-filled melodrama as Hollywood has produced in many, many moons, Paramount's murder mystery film, "Street of Chance," ends tonight at the Dominion Theatre, with Burgess Meredith and Claire Trevor as the stars. The story, written by that ace author of detective fiction, Cornell Woolrich, and made into a screen play by Garrett Fort, is that rare thing among mystery tales, a yarn that is startlingly unusual.

Will Appear With Famed Tenor

William Primrose, world's greatest viola player, who will be the assisting artist with Mr. Richard Crooks, popular Metropolitan Opera tenor when he appears at the Royal Victoria Theatre next Monday night at 8:30.

SOUTH SEAS FORM SETTING AT YORK

Take Betty Grable's blonde loveliness, Vic Mature's appeal, Jack Oakie's inimitable brand of humor and set them in Technicolor against a background of South Sea romance and heaps of tip-top music, and you have the kind of grand screen entertainment to be found in 20th Century-Fox's "Song of the Islands," which opens today at the York Theatre.

Assisting in the romantic doings are such stalwarts as Thomas Mitchell tangling cinematically with George Barbier, Billy Gilbert in the hilarious role of an erstwhile cannibal, Hilo Hattie major exponent of hula 'jive' and Harry Owens and His Royal Hawaiians, are interpreters of island music.

CAPITOL THEATRE. Based on Borden Chase's Saturday Evening Post story, "Pay to Learn," and scripted by Roy Chanslor, Aeneas Mackenzie, Earl Baldwin and John Twist, "The Navy Comes Through," ending today at the Capitol Theatre is the first Hollywood offering to deal with the Battle of the Atlantic, and it is said to present an unusually striking picture of that struggle.

Feminine Star of York Feature

Geraldine Fitzgerald who has the leading feminine role in "Flight From Destiny," which opens today at the York Theatre.

DECORATION CEREMONY CLEARS UP DOUBT OVER JAPANESE BATTLESHIP

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (AP)—Decoration of a Flying Fortress bombardier for plastering the 29,000-ton Japanese battleship Haruna cleared up today any remaining doubt as to whether the big warship pride of the Japanese fleet was listed officially as sunk in the first week of war between Japan and the United States.

Word of the decoration of Sgt. Meyer S. Levin, of Brooklyn, received from Australia yesterday told of the Haruna listing and sinking after his bomb load had been dumped upon her.

The sinking originally was announced by the War Department December 11, 1941. The navy did not list the Haruna with enemy ships destroyed leading to some speculation as to whether she actually went to the bottom. But the navy said the Haruna was not listed only because she was sunk by army and not navy flyers in accordance with the policy of claiming sinkings only by the armed services which inflicted the damage.

SPEEDER

On reaching the age of fourteen Henry left school and started work in a solicitor's office.

At the end of his first day his father asked him:

"Well, my boy, and how do you like your job?"

"Don't think much of it," replied the youngster disdainfully. "Too dull and dry. I'm sorry I learned it."

Little Stories for Bedtime

Reddy Fox Has a Bad Dream

BY THORNTON W. BURGESS

It was a long time since Reddy Fox had been near Farmer Brown's henyard. Very wisely he had been content to hunt for his living on the Green Meadows and in the Green Forest. So it was also a long time since he had heard the voice of Bowser the Hound on his trail. Once in a while he would hear Bowser barking far away in Farmer Brown's dooryard, but otherwise he would hardly know that Bowser was still alive. Reddy had had good living all Summer and now he was fat and lazy. He was in no condition for a hard run and he had not desire for one.

This particular morning Reddy was very sleepy. He had been out all night, his stomach was full, the rays of jolly, round, red Mr. Sun were warm and comforting and he could think of nothing so good as a nap on his special sunning bank. So he curled up there and without a single uneasy thought he dropped off to sleep. After a while he began to dream. At first it was a very pleasant dream. An endless procession of mice and chickens and ducks and grouse were marching before him and they were all for him to the very last one. All he had to do was to help himself. He was trying to decide whether he would begin his dinner with a fat mouse and follow this with a plump chicken or begin with a chicken and top off with a mouse when he heard a faint sound and stopped to listen while the ducks and the chickens and the mice and the grouse continued to march past.

All this was a dream you know and to Reddy a very pleasant dream, until that faint sound began to grow louder and louder. And as the sound grew louder the chickens and ducks and the mice and the grouse seemed to fade away. At last no one was left and his ears rang with a great roaring which filled him with a great fear. His beautiful dream was becoming a bad one. He wanted to run away, but somehow he couldn't. All the time that terrible roaring came nearer and nearer. He gave a frightened little yelp, and then—why then his eyes flew wide open! He was right on his private sunning bank. The rays of jolly, round, bright Mr. Sun were pouring down on him, the blue sky was over him, and all was as it should be except one thing. That dreadful roaring seemed to have come out of his dream with him.

He started for the Green Forest as fast as he could run.

For just a minute Reddy Fox couldn't understand it. Then suddenly he recognised the voice of Bowser the Hound and he knew that it was no dream. Bowser was on his trail and very, very near. Springing to his feet Reddy glanced hastily behind him. Sure enough, there was Bowser and he saw Reddy. He sprang forward and his voice seemed to grow twice as loud. Reddy didn't wait. He started for the Green Forest as fast as he could run. And as he ran he muttered to himself:

"I wonder how he came to find my track. It must be that Farmer Brown's boy is out hunting with that dreadful gun. I must watch out for him. Oh, dear, I'm too fat to run well. I've got to throw that dog off my track somehow. It isn't fair to hunt me when I haven't been near that old chickenyard. Some things are dreadfully unjust in this world. Farmer Brown's boy ought to keep that bothersome dog chained up when I keep away from the ducks and chickens. It isn't fair. No, sir, it isn't fair. My goodness, how short of breath I am getting. I certainly am in no condition for a long run."

And all the time Old Man Coyote was trotting to his home in the far corner of the Green Meadows with a wicked grin on his face, as he listened to the voice of Bowser the Hound as Reddy ran for his life. You see, Bowser had found the tracks of Old Man Coyote that morning and started to follow them. Old Man Coyote knowing just where Reddy Fox was had led Bowser straight there and when Bowser had seen Reddy he had straightway forgotten all about Old Man Coyote. And that was just as Old Man Coyote had planned. No wonder that he chuckled as he trotted off home.

Next story: Granny Discovers Old Man Coyote's Secret.

(Released by The Associated Newspapers)

NEEDED TO REPLACE OLD BRITISH CRAFT

LONDON, Jan. 20 (CP)—Sir Archibald Sinclair, Air Secretary, was urged in the House of Commons today to ask the United States to allot several new flying boats to be operated by British Overseas Aircraft Corporation to replace old British craft.

The plea came from Oliver E. Simmonds, Conservative, who said evidence of a crash at Lisbon on January 9 in which thirteen were killed showed the British company's craft are overaged.

Simmonds said under an agreement by which Britain concentrates on military plane manufacture the United States is to make necessary non-fighting craft and Britain is entitled to the new ones from the United States.

Sir Archibald answered that he will await completion of the inquiry before drawing any conclusions on the Lisbon accident.

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1 BIRTHS

NELSON—To Leading Stoker and Mrs. B. J. Nelson, at Royal Jubilee Hospital, on January 20, a daughter. Both doing well.

GIBBONS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gibbons (nee Yrena Moray), at St. Joseph's Hospital, on January 18, 1943, a daughter, Margaret Ann. (Calgary papers please copy.)

3 DEATHS

WHITE—There passed away at the family residence on Tuesday, January 19, 1943, Paul White, three-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert N. White, 1903 Quadra Street. He is survived by, besides his parents, one sister, Linda Lee, at home; his grandparents, aunts and uncles and two cousins.
Funeral services will be conducted on Friday afternoon at 3.30 in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Canon F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate and interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

GILLON—At Royal Jubilee Hospital on January 19, 1943, John Gillon, of 1410 Point Street, aged eighty-seven years, born in Lisithgow, Scotland, and a resident of Victoria and West Vancouver for thirty-three years. Survived by three nephews, Charles P., of 1410 Point Street; Robert G. Smith, also in Victoria, and David L. Smith, of Los Angeles, Cal., and two nieces, Mrs. George Craig and Mrs. N. Lomaden, both in Scotland.
Private funeral service in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 3 p.m., Rev. William Allan officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park. (No flowers, by request.)
(Vancouver papers please copy.)

OATES—There passed away at the family residence, 162 Esquimalt Road, on Tuesday, January 19, 1943, Mrs. Alice Harriet Oates. The late Mrs. Oates, who was sixty-one years of age, was born in Northorpe, Lincolnshire, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past forty-one years. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. J. C. Richford of Port Alberni and Mrs. Berold Blair at the family residence; five grandchildren and one brother, Harry Palmer of Glenora, Manitoba.
Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Limited on Friday, January 22, 1943, at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. C. Jervam will officiate and the interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

4 CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Luigi Perri, Jimmy and Josephine thank sincerely all their dear friends for the kind expressions of sympathy during their recent sad bereavement. They regret deeply that although provision had been made due to circumstances beyond McCall Bros. and our control, no cars were on hand for the convenience of many who wished to attend the burial.

5 IN MEMORIAM

ALEXANDER—In loving memory of our dearly beloved son, "Pete," Flight Lieutenant Peter Bruce Alexander, who lost his life in air operations near Gibraltar on January 21, 1942.

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RUSSIA NOW IS NEAR NEIGHBOR

Air Power Brings Canada Closer to Soviet, Premier King Points Out

MONTREAL, Jan. 20 (CP). — Air power is making Russia one of Canada's nearest neighbors, Prime Minister Mackenzie King said Tuesday, and "as we become neighbors we desire more than ever to become also the most helpful of friends."

Mr. King introduced Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, wife of the United States President, who spoke at a meeting in support of the Aid to Russia campaign.

In the new world which air power is forging, Russia was becoming Canada's nearest neighbor, next to the United States, the Prime Minister said. Russia was just over Canada's northern horizon beyond the Pole.

"The Arctic wastes, so long an impenetrable barrier between us, now are coming to join us closer together."

Mr King read a letter addressed to himself by the Governor-General, welcoming Mrs Roosevelt to Canada.

"Will you kindly welcome Mrs. Roosevelt on our behalf and assure her that the doors of our house are always open to her and the President?" wrote Lord Athlone. "We hope that in the not-distant future they will give us the pleasure and the honor of being our guests."

Mr King said Mrs. Roosevelt's visit reminded Canada of the White House at Washington and "the two good friends who, at all times, Canada has had in the persons of the President and yourself.

". . . We all remember how, in the dark days of 1940 you, Mrs. Roosevelt, not less than the President, courageously showed yourself an outspoken and staunch friend of the British people, and of all the peoples of the British Commonwealth. No one will need to be reminded of how, since the entry of the United States into the war, you have further cemented the friendship between Britain and America by your travels, your actions, your writings and your speeches."

Mrs. Roosevelt's interest in the armed services was that of a mother, all of whose sons were on active service.

TERRIBLE ORDEAL

Mr King said the Russian people were passing through as terrible an ordeal as any people had ever been called on to suffer.

"All the United Nations will be heartened when they are reminded anew tomorrow morning that Canada and the United States are continuing to aid the civil populations of the Soviet Union no less than its armed forces," he continued, referring to the Aid to Russia campaign.

The campaign was a nation-wide tribute by the peoples themselves to a gallant ally.

"Particularly gratifying is the support given the campaign by Canadian churches," the Prime Minister said.

"Their leaders have unitedly extended their patronage to its appeal. The campaign is one of many manifestations of the unity of the spirit and purpose of the whole Canadian people . . .

"In this great war, we of the United Nations are all debtors one of the other. We need the help of Russia, and Russia needs our help."

To help Russia maintain her military effort the Allied Governments had the duty of seeing her industrial production was supplemented by their factories and workshops. "And "We are proud that we have been able to make the contribution we have," he said

But in addition to military supplies, the Russian people were in the greatest need of medical supplies, food, clothing and other necessaries.

"The story of their sufferings is but partly told in the staggering figures of Russia's losses on the field of battle

"To begin to understand the situation at all, we need to think of the thousands upon thousands of families—old men, old women, young mothers and little children—driven from their burning homes by barbaric invaders, who have killed, or are seeking to kill, the men folk to whom they look for sustenance and support.

"We need to think of a people scantily clothed, severely rationed as to food, with nothing but wood for fuel, fighting famine and disease, as well as the most ruthless enemy; and all this in the midst of weather much colder than most of us in Canada have ever been called upon to face."

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Many Donations Received for Aid To Russia Fund

Yesterday the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund passed the $13,000 mark, receiving in the day's donations $758, bringing the grand total to date to $13,300.63.

Mr. G. A. Campbell, who has been out of town, has now returned and again taken up his work as honorary treasurer for the Aid to Russia Fund, 1208 Government Street.

Donations of clothing may be left at 1010 Government Street, or at local fire stations.

Following are among the latest subscribers:

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APPROVE HEALTH INSURANCE IDEA

Canadian Medical Association Members Adopt Resolution at Meeting of General Council

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 (CP).—The Canadian Medical Association has approved "the adoption of the principle of health insurance," but reserves the right to refrain from supporting any health insurance measure which would not meet the needs of the people or would fail to raise the standard of medical services given to the sick, it has been announced.

The decision, reached Monday at a meeting here of the Medical Association's general council, was made public at a morning press conference by Dr. A. E. Archer, of Lamont, Alta., the association president.

The association, Dr. Archer said, has been studying health insurance for many years, but today's announcement was the first time it has gone on record as approving the principle.

The resolution was adopted unanimously by the council of the Medical Association, and doctors from all provinces were in attendance, Dr. Archer said.

The effective section of the resolution read:

"1. The Canadian Medical Association approves the adoption of the principle of health insurance.

"2. The Canadian Medical Association favors a plan of health insurance which will secure the development and provision of the highest standard of health services, preventative and curative, if such plan be fair both to the insured and to all those rendering the services.

"The Canadian Medical Association is keenly conscious of the desirability of providing adequate health services to all the people of Canada; and . . . has for many years been studying plans for the securing of such health services," the preamble to the resolution said.

A prepared statement issued by Dr. Archer described the resolution as "in conformity with the long-established policy of the association to keep its members abreast of the latest developments in medicine and to study and accept whatever method or methods of care would best serve the needs of the people."

SOME RESERVATIONS

"In adopting this resolution," it said, "the medical profession reserves the right to refrain from supporting any health insurance measure which would not meet the needs of the people, particularly those of limited income, or which would lower or even not raise the standard of quality of the services rendered to the sick.

"This resolution does not imply the support of 'state medicine,' a totally different thing from 'health insurance.'"

During recent months committees representing the medical association, dentists, nurses, hospitals and other bodies have been working with the Pensions and National Health Department with a view to drafting a national health insurance measure.

It has been reported on good authority that some such bill will be among the postwar social reform measures expected to feature the legislative programme of the forthcoming Parliamentary session.

Dr Archer said any health insurance scheme for Canada would have to provide medical services not only for urban dwellers but such people as fishermen in small settlements along the Coast. It would be a difficult problem to draft a bill to meet all conditions.

"Planning for health insurance will be simplified and the plan be more acceptable," said his prepared statement, "if considerable necessary provincial variation be provided for."

The Canadian Medical Association, he said in reply to a question, would only support a plan which included the principle of health "insurance," but emphasized preventive medicine and the improvement of health standards through the nation.

The association would not approve any form of state medicine "under which doctors would be civil servants."

State health insurance would provide the same benefits in a different way, leaving doctors, nurses, dentists and other health groups free to act on their own initiative.

The association would insist on "a high standard of service to the public" in any insurance scheme.

Dr Archer said the association is "fully aware" of the limitations of Canadian health services under present conditions. The situation had been "greatly aggravated" by the war since nearly 3,000 Canadian doctors now are in the armed forces, 1,000 serving outside Canada.

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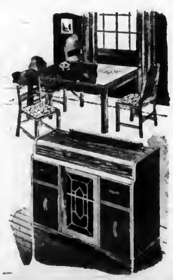

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